The Latin American Republics. A General Survey.

BY DR. J. ZIEGNER-URIBURU.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

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BRITISH MASSED CANNON FIRE MUNITIONS DEPOTS.

German Lines on Somme Suffer Most Intense Bombardment in Weeks.

BY ARTHUR S. DRAPER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Wrapped in a sheet of flame from the British guns, the German lines along most of the upper portion of the west front endured the most intense bombardment today that they have undergone for weeks. Under the concentrated fire of massed artillery several German munitions depots were wiped out, and south of the La Bassee Canal and along many of the Somme lines the Germans were unable to reply.

At other points along the Somme the duel went on, with the German guns answering on rather more equal terms the rain of shells poured in upon them. South of the Ancre Berlin reports British munitions depots set on fire, although no claim is made of having silenced the opposing artillery.

For infantry operations were attempted today, although the French made a spasmodic attack south of Fleury. This expedition was completely successful, returning with several prisoners and slight casualties among its members.

FRENCH MONOTONY.

Save for the extraordinarily heavy bombardment today there have been no new developments on this front to relieve the monotony of trench warfare. An assertion of the military critic of the Overseas News Agency has, however, brought forth indignant denials from British military authorities. This writer points to the French claim of the repulse of German attacks at Verdun as "another example of the untrustworthiness of French headquarters reports." In support of his statement he declares that valuable French positions were captured by the Germans on the slopes of Hill 304 and on Dead Man's Hill.

"The German answer to the French attacks near Verdun," he concluded, "was given on the plains of Rumania, but notwithstanding this effort, Germany has sufficient forces on the other fronts, as is proved by the successes recently gained."

IN RUMANIA.

In their three drives against Braila, Foscani and the frontier defenses of Western Moldavia—all aimed at the destruction of the outposts of the Sereth line—the Teutons have made further progress. The Russians have been thrown back to the bridgehead of Braila from the south and west and have lost another point of support near Matchin in the Dobrudja. Important positions north of Ramicu-Sarat and in the mountains to the west have fallen before the reinforced units of the invaders.

In the Transylvanian Alps, Von Gerck has extended his hold on the dominating heights. Solymtar height, north of the Uzul Valley, has been wrested from the Czar's troops

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PUT PATENTS UNDER DRY BAN.

Newfoundland Dry Law Stops Sales of Many Favorite Remedies.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ST. JOHNS (N. F.) Dec. 31.—At midnight tonight the whole island of Newfoundland goes "dry," a prohibition act becoming effective. A long list of patent medicines has been placed under the ban. The government has provided a controller through whom medicinal prescriptions will be filled and supplies obtained.

Endurance.

ARMY AVIATORS SUFFER SEVERELY.

BUT TWO MEET WITH MISHAPS IN PILOT TEST.

Five Who Flew from Field at Hempstead, N. Y., Qualify and will Make Longer Flights When the Warmer Weather Sets In, Declare Experts.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HEMPSTEAD (N. Y.) Dec. 31.—Five of the eight army aviators who flew from the aviation field here yesterday to Philadelphia in a qualification test for government pilot licenses returned today after having suffered severely from the cold on their 115-mile trip at an altitude of from 5000 to 8000 feet. W. P. Blakeley, flight instructor, with C. H. Reynolds as a passenger in a 130-horse-power machine, covered the distance in 72 minutes.

Seven aviators started from Philadelphia on the return trip. But two meet with mishaps. One was Lieut. A. M. Coyle, who was forced to land on Princess Bay, Staten Island, and the other was Sergt. A. L. Kraus, who had engine trouble and had to descend at Redbank, N. J.

While Lieut. Coyle was flying alone at an altitude of 6000 feet his engine went dead over Raritan Bay, between Staten Island and New Jersey. The aviator volplaned, but miscalculated his landing and hit the water. The nose of the aeroplane stuck in the sand in shallow water. Lieut. Coyle, strapped in the machine, was uninjured.

The army aviators will attempt a longer flight when warmer weather sets in, it was announced tonight.

STEEL PLANTS TO OPEN DESPITE STRIKE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 31.—Plans for carrying on their respective fights were being made today by both employers and union leaders involved in the shipbuilding strike, which caused 1400 men to leave their work in two plants here Friday and Saturday. Each side was emphatic in declaring there would be no compromise.

"We shall reopen our plant Wednesday morning," declared Walter Beebe, vice-president of the Northwestern Steel Company. "We shut down Saturday for repairs. We shall continue to operate as an open shop and not otherwise."

Preparations were made today by the striking picket the two plants affected by the strike. Arthur R. Burns, president of the Metal Trades Council, declared there was no present intention of extending the strike to other shipbuilding plants here.

W. H. CROKER SUES FOR EXCESS TAXES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—William H. Crocker, multimillionaire banker of this city, has sued Internal Revenue Collector, J. J. Scott for a refund of $11,340, it became known here yesterday. The suit was filed in the United States District Court here and was placed on secret file by special order from Washington, which, it is said, grants Crocker the privilege of avoiding a public recording of the documents in the case.

In the suit Crocker demands Collector Scott return to him $11,340, which he alleges represents losses in bonds and stocks sustained by him which should have been considered in the fixing of the amount of his taxable income.

It is said that if Crocker wins his suit, it will mean that the government will have to refund millions of dollars to income taxpayers throughout the country.

Under rulings from the Treasury Department, exemptions for losses may be allowed only when sustained by a person in the particular business by which he or she earns a living. Collector Scott, it is reported, held that Crocker lost on certain securities in which he dealt and that because he did not incur these losses in the pursuit of the business by which he earns his livelihood, he had no right to a refund.

PORTLAND CLEARINGS BREAK THE RECORD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 31.—Portland's total bank clearings for 1916 totalled $649,775,141, the greatest on record. The total for 1915 was $554,446,756.

JOY FIGURES FOR NEW YEAR GAIN IN TRADE STUPENDOUS.

HERE are some of the things 1916 did:

Increased foreign trade of the United States to amazing sum of $7,847,000,000, a gain of $2,500,000,000 over 1915. Exports $5,182,000,000, as large as entire foreign trade in 1915.

With old King Cotton at 20 cents a pound, the South is as prosperous as in ante-bellum days.

It brought the greatest demand for copper ever known. Result, a runaway market. Record production and price.

Increase output of pig iron by 34 per cent. over 1915 and advanced prices from $18.50 to $30 a ton.

Sent the gross business of the railroads above $3,757,000,000, an increase of half a billion over 1915, while net income for the first time in railway history crossed the billion-dollar mark.

Sent wages up 10 per cent. on the average and put them at the highest level in the world's history.

Gave Uncle Sam a gold stock nearly double that of his nearest competitor, France. One billion dollars has been added to the gold stock of the country since the outbreak of the war.

Increased circulation of money from $37.19 per capita to $41.18.

Engagement.

VILLA'S ARMY BATTLES WITH MURGUIA'S FORCES.

Decisive Struggle with Bandits Reported Near Santa Rosalia.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 31.—Fighting is in progress between the advance guard of Gen. Francisco Murguia's force of 7000 men and Villa's army of at least equal size at a point between Santa Rosalia and Jiminez, according to the reports of passengers arriving here today from Chihuahua city. They said that Villa had dispatched several thousand men into Durango on a recruiting raid, after which it was expected he would advance with his concentrated commands against Chihuahua city again. This rumor, they added, had caused some apprehension among the people of the city.

GARRISON AT CHIHUAHUA.

The garrison now left in Chihuahua city is said to consist of 2000 men. Gen. Francisco Gonzales, late commander of Juarez, is there, preparatory to leaving for the field. Gen Murguia is with his division and is using Santa Rosalia as his base, according to the passengers.

A report is circulating in Chihuahua city that Gen. Miquel Diegues, Governor of Jalisco, who has a reputation as a fighter, and a command of seasoned men from Sonora, is coming north to co-operate against Villa.

Lieut.-Col. Jose Iglesias of the Carranza garrison at Juarez created some excitement on the International bridge late today by shooting a Mexican cab driver in the ear, following a dispute over fare. The colonel was apprehended on the American end of the bridge and sent across the line.

The cab man died later and Col. Iglesias, who was arrested on the Mexican side, will be tried for murder, according to the Juarez commandant.

On a report received by Gen. Jose Murguia that the rebel leaders Tamez, Ochoa and Quevado intended to attack Juarez tonight, outposts and patrols were materially strengthened on the Mexican side. Gen. Bell, acting upon the same report, also increased the American guard tonight along the Rio Grande.

TORREON REFUGEES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LAREDO (Tex.) Dec. 31.—Foreign refugees who reached the border today from Torreon, reported that Constitutionalists' garrisons at places in the Torreon district had joined the Villa forces. They said three trainloads of refugees of various nationalities left Torreon one hour before the Villa army appeared there and are slowly working their way toward the border by way of Aguascalientes and San Luis Potosi. The refugees stated the Villa forces were meeting little resistance.

The number of refugees on the three trains reported en route for the border was given as about 1000. Fully 1000 foreigners remained in Torreon, it was said.

Efforts were made in Neuvo Laredo tonight to locate the trainload of refugees.

River guards in this vicinity were reinforced strongly tonight, but there was no official explanation of the unusual precautions. Rumors said revolutionists had demanded the surrender of Nuevo Laredo tomorrow. Military authorities would not discuss the dispatch last night of a six motor mounted machine gun and a motorcycle squad to a point on the Rio Grande, below Laredo, and if there was any attempt at "gun running" across the international boundary into Mexico, it was not announced here.

OCCUPIES MULATO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PRESIDIO (Tex.) Dec. 31.—Luis Montoria, a Villa chief with a 100 men, has occupied Mulato, twenty-five miles southeast of Ojinaga, following its evacuation by the Carranza garrison, it was learned here

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Determined.

HUNT ORDERS CAMPBELL KEPT OUT BY FORCE.

Clash at Phoenix Capitol is Expected Today When the Governor-elect of Arizona Attempts to Assume Office. Democratic Committee Repudiates the Defeated Candidate's Action.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 31.—Preparations are complete for the inauguration of two men as Governor of Arizona tomorrow. Thomas E. Campbell, Republican Governor-elect, armed with a certification of election, will deliver an inaugural address somewhere about the Statehouse. A guard of six men, who have been on duty at the Governor's office since Saturday, have been instructed by Gov. G. W. P. Hunt, it is said, to keep Campbell away. Gov. Hunt, it was stated tonight, has prepared an inaugural address. The most interesting development of today is the action of the chairman and secretary of the Democratic State Central Committee in sending out a letter to the members of the committee calling for a meeting on January 10 to determine whether the committee shall support the Governor. The letter contains this significant paragraph:

"We believe the welfare of the Democratic party and of this State to be beyond the personal wishes of any officeholder or candidate, and we are firmly convinced that its welfare as a party as well as the interests of the State are seriously affected by the expressed intention of Gov. Hunt to refuse to surrender his office to Campbell."

The town is filling up with out-of-town adherents of both Campbell and Hunt and there are threats of a clash tomorrow in the Capitol Building. The police and Sheriff's office are taking measures to meet any disorder.

Counsel for Campbell stated tonight that on Tuesday the matter would be taken into the courts in order that it may be determined who shall be the de facto Governor at the time of the meeting of the Legislature on January 8.

PHILADELPHIA MAKING MONEY.

United States Mint so Busy All Past Records are Broken.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 31.—Breaking all its coinage records, the Philadelphia mint during 1916 produced 238,469,769 domestic coins in denominations ranging from one cent to half dollars and valued at $9,344,266. An unprecedented demand for dimes, nickels and pennies will keep the plant running day and night until early summer.

Gold, silver and nickle coins totalling 31,376,328 pieces were minted for Central and South American governments.

Smoke or Fire?

LAWSON WANTS TO CONVINCE WILSON.

ASKS INQUIRY BEFORE WALL STREET BLOCKS PLAN.

Asserts Complete Exposure of Man Responsible for Leaks will Result with Sudden Drop in Living Costs Following Congressional Investigation.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—An offer to convince President Wilson in an hour's interview of the wisdom of suggesting to Congress an immediate investigation of stock market manipulations of the last two years, is contained in a letter from Thomas W. Lawson of this city to Congressman Robert L. Henry, chairman of the House Committee on Rules, made public tonight.

The letter, which is in response to the Congressman's request for information as basis of an inquiry into a leak from Washington to Wall street in connection with the peace note of President Wilson, asserts an investigation would disclose the operations of a great "false news maker" aiming at "the complete befuddling of the American people to the real vitals of the hour."

In the letter Mr. Lawson renews previous statements that the so-called leak of last week was one of a series through which he says, "The American people were robbed of hundreds of millions of their savings and a particular few beneficiaries secured some sixty odd millions of direct plunder, some of which was 'split' with important people." Other similar leaks are coming, the letter predicts.

The letter suggests that Congress appoint a committee of investigation with powers and that the committee begin its investigation immediately in New York before books, papers and other records can be destroyed. The result, according to the letter, might be a sudden drop in the cost of living and "the complete exposure of the man who sailed to Germany, 'Give me fifty millions of margins and I'll end the war by making it impossible for the Allies to finance themselves;' of his trip to the Emperor for the perfecting of his scheme; of the return in an undersea boat of forty millions of American securities; of the smashing of the market and the dividing of the profits of over $50,000,000 and the beginning of a new smashing leak campaign."

CLIFF DWELLERS IN NEW YORK TO STRIKE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—A strike of tenants against an increase of $1 a month in rent of 300 apartment and tenement houses in the Bronx was begun today. Heads of 300 families signed a declaration they would stand together and suffer eviction rather than pay the increase, which becomes effective tomorrow.

A plan was formulated whereby families will take refuge in the homes of friends if dispossess proceedings are instituted by landlords and a fund was started to meet the expenses of legal proceedings.

The women who attended the meeting were urged to constitute themselves pickets to warn prospective tenants against renting an apartment from which one of their number had been evicted.

FIND ARTIST MODEL WITH THROAT CUT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 31.—The body of Grace Roberts, a young artist's model, was found late last night in her room in an apartment-house. Her throat had been cut and she had been badly beaten. Everything in the room was in disorder. The police are looking for a young man who is said to have been a frequent caller upon the girl.

FREEDING'S BODY FOUND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 31.—The body of Conrad Freeding, former Territorial Senator from Nome, Alaska, who was lost in a blizzard on the trail near Kougarck Hot Springs, Seward Peninsula, December 8, was found by searchers two days later. Freeding had been frozen to death. News of the discovery of the body arrived here by mail yesterday.

Parley.

BERLIN MAY TALK PEACE ON ALLIES' CONDITIONS.

Negotiations are Predicted on Basis of Reparation and Restitution.

BY ARTHUR S. HENNING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 31.—Germany stands ready to discuss peace with the Allies on the conditions they have named in their reply to the overtures of the Teutonic powers.

This is the official German view of peace prospects authoritatively stated to me tonight.

German officials believe that their government will declare, either publicly or confidentially to President Wilson, the willingness to negotiate further for the termination of the war, taking into full consideration the Allies' demands for restitution of conquered territory, reparation of injured belligerents and guarantees for the future preservation of peace.

If the German overtures do not lead to peace, it is stated, it will be because the Allies are unwilling to declare the great struggle a deadlock and are bent upon continuing the war in the hope of dictating a victor's terms.

ENTENTE PREDICTION.

Entente diplomats opine that any further move by Germany will be a bluff and a sham, as the Allies' note characterized the Berlin overtures, and predict that the Teutonic powers will show themselves unwilling to meet unequivocally the conditions named by the Entente. In one place the Entente reply says that the conduct of Germany requires "penalties, reparation and guarantees" and in another asserts "that no peace is possible so long as they (the Allies) have not secured reparation for violated rights and liberties, the reconstitution of the principle of nationalities and of free existence of small states; so long as they have not brought about a settlement calculated to end, once and for all, forces which have constituted a perpetual menace to the nations and to afford the only effective guarantee for the future security of the world."

The German view is that the Teutonic powers are ready to discuss reparation—mutual reparation. They are willing to make reparation for the violation of Belgian neutrality if the Allies will make reparation for the violation of Greek neutrality.

Germany, it is stated, yields nothing to the Allies in recognizing the principle of nationalities and the free existence of small states," and proposes that the peace discussion shall include not only German treatment of Belgium, but the Allies' treatment of Greece.

Likewise Germany asserts readiness to discuss guarantees for the future security of the world, including the freedom of the seas, disarmament and a league to enforce peace.

REJOINDER UNCERTAIN.

Whether the Berlin government will render a rejoinder directly to the Allies is uncertain. It is believed here that Germany will make no move until the Allies answer President Wilson's peace appeal and that Berlin's course will be determined largely by the character of that communication.

That Germany, however, will take a further step to bring about peace negotiations either publicly or privately is regarded as a foregone conclusion. In fact, it would cause no surprise even in official German circles if Berlin were to proclaim to the world the general conditions upon which it is proposed to discuss peace.

It is pointed out that if Germany declines to answer the Allies in the spirit of still being willing to negotiate a cessation of hostilities, she would lend color to the charges her enemies that her peace move is not sincere and is only a war maneuver.

According to the German viewpoint the Allies' reply is a hypocritical misrepresentation of the causes of the war, put forth for home consumption, and having nothing to the fact that a bloody and useless war is in progress which might be stopped if there is any possible way of doing it. The Germans blame the Allies and particularly Sir Edward Grey for precipitating the war but confess that their charges are of ancient history and utterly foreign to the question of how peace can be achieved now.

If one eliminates the charges against Germany, it is pointed out, the Allies' reply leaves the way open for further negotiation and it is deemed certain that Berlin will take advantage of this opening to make another advance toward an agreement with the Entente.

Crisis.

GREEK KING ANNOUNCES SITUATION IS DESPERATE.

Hurries Transports Southward, Hoping Entente Blockade will Soon be Lifted—Constantine Sends a Reply to President Wilson, Reciting His Country's Trials, Urging Efforts to Aid Peace Measures.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ATHENS, Dec. 29 (via London, Dec. 31, 6:35 p.m.)—A Cabinet meeting today at which the King presided, discussed the situation in the country, which is desperate, according to dispatches from the interior.

The King has instructed the General Staff to hasten the transport southward of the Thessalon Company. The General Staff informs the Associated Press that transportation of the troops should be completed by January 5, whereupon the government hopes the Entente blockade will be lifted.

King Constantine summoned Garrett Droppers, the American Minister to the palace this morning and communicated to him the text of the Greek reply to President Wilson's peace note, the text of which follows:

"I wish to express, Mr. President, feelings of sincere admiration and lively sympathy for the generous initiative you have just taken with the view to ascertaining whether the moment is not propitious for a negotiable end of the bloody struggle raging on earth.

"Coming from the wise statesman who, in a period so critical for humanity, is placed at the head of the great American republic, this humanitarian effort, dictated by a spirit of high political sagacity and looking to an honorable peace for all, cannot but contribute greatly towards hastening re-establishment of normal life and assuring through a stable state of international relations the evolution of humanity towards that progress wherein the United States of America always so largely shares."

Then follows a recital of the trials Greece has suffered from the war, which, on account of the censorship it is useless to attempt to cable. The King's message ends as follows:

"Such are the conditions in which your proposals find my country. This short and necessarily incomplete recital is not made with the purpose of criticism of the cruel blows at her sovereignty and neutrality from which Greece has been forced to suffer for the effects. I have merely wished to show you, Mr. President, how much the soul of Greece at this moment longs for peace and how much it appreciates your proposals which constitute so important a step in the course of the bloody world tragedy of which we are witnesses. (Signed) "CONSTANTINE."

The Greek government also will make a formal reply, which will associate Greece with the proposals of President Wilson.

IRISHMEN TO RESIST COMPULSORY SERVICE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Prediction that another revolution in Ireland is certain unless peace is restored "very soon" was made by John D. Moore, secretary of the Friends of Irish Freedom, in a statement issued tonight as a protest in behalf of Irish nationalists against an alliance such as is proposed by the League to Enforce Peace.

Speaking in the name of his organization, Mr. Moore declared no small nation ever had achieved its freedom "except by participating in a general war and making an alliance with its oppressors' enemies."

He asserted any attempt to force Irishmen into the British army "will be resisted to the death." It is expected, he said, that the Irish will receive assistance from "their great ally, Germany."

URGE WORKERS TO TOIL ON NEW YEAR'S.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

HALIFAX (N. S.) Dec. 31.—The present delivery of shells from Canadaian munitions factories is below the quantity promised, it was learned today from an appeal issued by the Imperial Munitions Board, urging every munitions worker to sacrifice the New Year's holiday. The appeal urges the men and women workers to devote themselves on the holiday "with increased energy and unstinted time to the task of additional output."

THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Partly cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., southwest; velocity, 6 miles. Thermometer, highest, 59 deg., lowest, 42 deg. Forecast: Generally unsettled weather. For complete weather report see last page, Part I.

THE CITY. It was expected 200,000 persons would see the Tournament of Roses at Pasadena today.

Construction of the new Salt Lake branch line from Pico station to Santa Ana was to begin tomorrow.

A melodramatic youth surrendered himself to the police because, he said, hold-ups and bad checks had not yielded enough money.

Wholesalers and bankers got behind a project for a line of municipal-owned steamships for Los Angeles.

Expecting a travel rush, an Angeles Mesa man making of old box cars a tourist hotel in the Owens Valley.

The Property Owners' League that will fight the proposed power purchase bonds announced it will open headquarters tomorrow.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Beggar wearing a dress suit creates something of a sensation in Pasadena.

Cotton crop in the section tributary to Calipatria will be one of the largest known in the history of the valley.

Russian crew missing with their boat on a fishing expedition returns after a very thrilling experience.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Prof. Howieson of the University of California died at Berkeley.

GENERAL EASTERN. Chicago enjoyed a one-hour New Year's Eve celebration.

A beautiful artist's model found with throat cut in Philadelphia.

Hamilton W. Mabie, litterateur, long associate editor of the Outlook, dies at home.

An American association has purchased the birthplace of Lafayette in France as a memorial.

WASHINGTON. It may be necessary for the President to call an extra session of the new and uncertain Congress to secure action on his railroad labor bills.

MEXICO. Additional forces have been sent to guard Mexico City.

Announced that Gen. Fortunato has been ordered to bring all available de facto troops to Mexico City immediately.

Gen. Muguia's forces have clashed with Villa near Santa Rosalia.

FOREIGN. King Charles was crowned at Budapest as Hungary's new monarch.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: The Russians have been forced to give up a point of support east of Braila.

Mackensen continues his drive northward toward the Danube.

Germans are making progress in their drive on the Moldavia-Transylvania front.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.

The dawn of 1917 finds the belligerent armies virtually deadlocked everywhere except in Rumania. It finds also in the air a suggestion by the Teutonic Allies that they are ready to discuss peace, but the Entente Allies have signified their determination to continue fighting until their demands are complied with. The war map in the main theaters of the war shows, at numerous points, material changes in the lines as they stood a year ago. On the front in France the Germans in the Somme region have been driven back over points of considerable size while the Germans in the Verdun sector made notable gains, but later lost a part of them through a French counter-offensive. The Italians have advanced their line on the east closer to Trieste and the Entente Allies operating from Saloniki have placed the Serbians on their native soil again and also have pushed forward their line at various points in Macedonia. A great drive begun in June by the Russians from the Pinsk marshes to the Carpathians was successful and much terrain in Galicia and Bukowina was captured.

There is a report that Villa's bandits are engaged in a decisive battle with Gen. Murguia's forces near Santa Rosalia. Other reports indicate that there is considerable fighting elsewhere in Mexico and the de facto forces in Mexico City have been increased.

HINT TO READERS: It is a mistake to jump at the wrong conclusion that all, or the greater part, of the more important news is to be found on the first page, unless it contain it. Consult the index and the Summary, then read the entire paper and then get all the news of the day.

lighted and ventilated, meeting the wishes of the traveling public in practically every respect.

STREET CARS AND SUBWAYS.

The largercities are provided with up-to-date systems of electric cars and wherever the exigencies of traffic demand it, the disposition is to electrify the street railways. The city of Buenos Aires has a most elaborate system of electric railways; lately the underground system was inaugurated, which is regularly held congresses with a programme far more comprehensive in scope. In the year 1906, at the session of the Latin American Scientific Congress, held in Santiago de Chile, the United States was represented, and to signalize the entrance of that country into intellectual fellowship with the other twenty nations of the New World, the name of these meetings was changed to Pan-American Scientific Congress.

ments; the educational institutions are regularly subject to the control of the Minister of Public Instruction.

Everywhere primary instruction is free, and, if the parents of the children are too poor to pay for school supplies, they are furnished free of charge. The law makes attendance at the primary schools compulsory up to a certain age.

Latin American universities are organized on the European plan, including a number of technical schools. Law, medicine and ec-

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Interest in Washington Now Centers on Answer of Allies to President's Peace Note.

Prospect.

NEGOTIATIONS DEPEND ON REPLY TO WILSON.

Entente may Leave the Way Open for a Pacific Discussion.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Opinion as to the effect of the unfavorable Entente reply to the peace proposals of the Central Powers varies widely here, but in all quarters interest centers upon the Allies' answer to the President's note, in which peace advocates hope to find an opening for negotiations.

Secretary Lansing announced that the Entente reply had not been cabled for delivery to Germany and her allies and that the State Department had received the official text of the Spanish note refusing to join in a peace movement at this time. It is understood that the Entente note will go forward just as soon as the task of checking for errors in cable transmission has been completed.

Publication of the Spanish note gave the American public its first intimation that copies of the President's note to the belligerents proposing a discussion of peace terms had been accompanied, when delivered to neutrals, with a suggestion that action of the United States be supported. Whether such a suggestion went with copies to all neutrals is not known, as officials do not even admit that it was done in the case of Spain. The action of the Spanish government in giving out its reply for publication prior to its receipt here caused surprise.

VIEW ON REPLY.

Some officials think Germany will not fail to respond to the Entente reply, if only to answer the charges contained in it; others believe the reply leaves little if any room for further Teutonic advances. The German Embassy takes the latter view and holds that hope for restoration of peace at this time depends almost entirely upon how the Entente replies to President Wilson's suggestions.

If the forthcoming communication from the Allies holds out the slightest hope that a conference of belligerents ultimately may result it is said that the terms of the Central Powers may be given confidentially to President Wilson.

Spain's suggestion that "it would be opportune to declare with regard to an entente of the neutral powers for the defense of their interests" contains the first formal proposal to this country for joint neutral action. Many neutrals have made similar pleas privately, notably Spain herself, in connection with the submarine situation. The United States heretofore has steadfastly opposed joint action of any kind. President Wilson tonight received New Year's greetings from many of the rulers of the world, including King George of Great Britain, Emperor William of Germany, King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, King Gustave of Sweden and several Presidents of South and Central American republics. Others are expected tomorrow.

SUGGESTION FROM SWEDEN.

The only one with reference to peace received tonight was from the King of Sweden. It follows:

"I beg you to accept my best wishes for the New Year. I am happy to join your noble peace action."

This message went further than that of the Swedish government, received last week. The note from the government expressed "deepest sympathy" with all efforts to end the war, but refrained from offering cooperation.

Success.

KAISER PRAISES ARMY FOR YEAR OF VICTORIES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 31, (via London, 8:35 p.m.)—Emperor William has issued the following order, addressed to the army and navy:

"Again a year of war lies behind us, with hard fighting and sacrifices, rich in successes and victories. The forces which our enemies put in 1916 have been foiled. All their assaults east and west have collapsed owing to our bravery and devotion.

"Your recent triumphal march through Roumania has by Divine Providence again added imperishable laurels to your banners. God also in the future will be with us."

Address.

CLERGY ISSUE WARNING ON PREMATURE PEACE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—In a signed document addressed to the nation, more than fifty prelates and laymen of various denominations representing many sections of the country have united in a warning against what they declare may be a premature peace in Europe which "may bring a curse instead of a blessing."

Among the signers to the document, made public here today, are Lyman Abbott, President J. G. Hibben of Princeton; former Atty.-Gen. Bonaparte, Winston Churchill, the author; President King of Oberlin College; Gifford Pinchot, George Wharton Pepper, Philadelphia; the Rev. William A. (Billy) Sunday, James M. Speer, chairman of the laymen's missionary movement; the Rev. C. K. Nelson, Episcopal Bishop of Atlanta; the Rev. Joseph F. Berry, Methodist Episcopal Bishop of Philadelphia; the Rev. Philip M. Rhinelander, Episcopal Bishop of Pennsylvania; the Rev. Lawrence, Episcopal Bishop of Massachusetts; the Rev. Harry E. Foedyke, of the Union Theological Seminary; the Rev. Charles Anderson, Bishop of Chicago, and the Rev. William T. Manning, rector of Trinity Church, New York.

The address declares the Christians of America should consider the right or wrong of the occupation of Belgium, Poland and Serbia, the Armenian massacres, the destruction of merchant ships, the hardships of Jews and Syrians, the "attempt to array Moslem against Christian in holy war," and to be reminded that "peace is the triumph of righteousness, and not the mere sheathing of the sword."

It further declares that the signers "view with some concern the organized and deliberate efforts now being made as to stampede Christian sentiment as to create a public opinion blindly favorable to stopping hostilities without consideration of the issues which the war involves."

QUIET NEW YEAR'S EVE AT SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Nineteen sixteen glided to its finish without creating much stir as far as San Francisco was concerned. Horns were crowded, but there was little there were more people than usual on the streets and the restaurants were crowded but there was little about the celebration to suggest the New Year's eves for which San Francisco is famous. The fact that it was Sunday night and that rain threatened were probably the modifying factors.

Watch night services were held in many of the churches, but the confetti venders said business was poor and the police proclaimed the death of 1916 the most peaceful at which they had ever officiated in San Francisco.

THE SUPREMACY OF "THE TIMES"

Its Lead as an Advertising Medium Clearly Demonstrated.

Concurrent with other important events in Southern California, the closing of the old year marks a big lead in the volume of paid advertising printed in The Times over all its rivals.

Again, careful investors and buyers of newspaper publicity in this section of the country during the past year have demonstrated their faith in The Times by inserting more separate advertisements and more liberal space in its advertising columns than in those of any other newspaper.

The merchant who uses pages to exploit his goods and the individual who offers to sell, or wants to purchase anything, are agreed as to the certain results accruing from advertising in The Times. It is as indispensable to one as to the other, proving it to be the most efficient advertising medium in California.

The following tabulated statement indicates concisely the preeminence of The Times in Los Angeles:

ADVERTISING IN LOS ANGELES NEWSPAPERS FOR 1916.

	Lines.
THE TIMES	12,146,574
Second morning newspaper	9,906,288
Third morning newspaper	7,596,526
First evening newspaper	6,995,585
Second evening newspaper	6,744,082
Third evening newspaper	3,028,494

Further evidence of The Times being the logical and economical medium in reaching the masses is the fact that it continues to print more "liner" or "want" advertising than any other two newspapers on the Pacific Coast. An incomparable record, proving beyond all controversy its peerless supremacy in the advertising field.

Fire Depots.

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and the Teutons have forged ahead on both sides of the Oituz Valley and in the Putua and Zabala valleys.

The Teutons have recently received heavy reinforcements in this sector, according to Petrograd, which admits the retirement of the Russians to new positions. On the upper Sushitza the Rumanians were defeated badly, the Russian statement adds, losing a large number of prisoners and a machine company. Near Kosa, on the upper Putna River, the troops of King Ferdinand lost several heights after a desperate struggle in which the contested positions changed hands many times.

The Russians, ably assisted by Rumanian detachments, undertook a successful movement against the village of Bordeschi, which was captured by the Teutons yesterday, finaly dislodging the enemy from the entire position.

DRIVE OF TEUTONS.

The drive of the Teutons from the Buseu-Focsani Railroad from the northwest is meeting with success. Petrograd admiting the reverse of Rumanian forces defending this sector. South of Focsani, however, Mackensen is encountering stubborn opposition. Not until the Teutonic troops were beaten back several times were they able to rush the positions in their path.

The Danube army is pounding its way slowly toward Braila from the west and south, while the Turks and Bulgars are continuing the attack on Matchin, in the Dobrudja, opposite the Rumanian granary. With the defenders thrown back to the gates of the town, there is little likelihood of its being able to hold out much longer.

The enveloping movement Mackensen is conducting for Braila is costing him more than he has paid since the opening of the Rumanian campaign. Besides the handicaps of weather he is now forced to fight along a narrow front, which the Russians are able to defend more successfully. As the retreating Russians destroyed even the roads, the German troops are plodding with the greatest difficulty through the river marshes. The winter being extremely mild in this region, the advance is unaided by frozen ground.

GALICIAN FRONT.

Several scouting operations and reconnoisances were carried out yesterday and today along the Galician front by small parties of Russian troops, according to the official statement from Petrograd, which adds that a few captives were taken in the course of these expeditions.

Near Zborow and to the west of Koniuski, Russian scouting parties worked into the enemy lines and made prisoners of two outpost guards, killing several defenders at the Zborow position.

The Caucasus front, the statement says, was quiet, no operations of importance having occurred there for the last twenty-four hours.

ALLIES' DEMAND FOR GREEK REPARATION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ATHENS, Dec. 30 (via London, 9:15 p.m.)—Count Di Boedari, Italian Minister to Greece, today presented the demands of the Entente Allies for reparation by the Greek government on account of the losses sustained during the recent clash between Greeks and Entente troops. The Crown Council and the Cabinet immediately assembled at the palace, King Constantine presiding.

STATE DEPARTMENT IN CONFERENCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The reference in the Spanish note to another communication, supplementing President Wilson's peace note, is the first public intimation that any efforts have been made by the United States to seek the support of other neutrals in moving for peace.

In line with their announced policy of silence during the present stage of the negotiations, officials declined to indicate last night whether the second communication was in the form of a supplement note or only an informal suggestion made to the Spanish Foreign Office by Ambassador Willard on his own initiative. Neither was it revealed whether similar representations had been made to all neutrals.

Spain's reference to a supplemental communication recalled the statement in Berlin press dispatches during the day that a second note had been presented also to Germany. This report, also, the State Department declined to affirm or deny, officials declaring that whatever steps have been taken or may be taken in the future must be guarded from publicity because of their delicate nature.

FRENCH COUNCIL SENDS GREETINGS TO ALLIES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 31.—The Municipal Council "at the dawn of 1917, which we are convinced will fulfill all our hopes," adopted resolutions addressed to the peoples in the capitals of the Entente Allies, "fighting with us for the liberty of the world," assuring them of the unalterable fraternity and unbreakable resolutin to struggle with them to the end for a decisive victory and the necessary reparation."

ANSWER TO WILSON WILL BE INSTRUCTIVE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 31.—The answer of the Entente Powers to President Wilson's note, according to the Matin, will contain a long detailed account of the origin and objects of the war. It will include also a declaration by the Belgian government, "thanking the generous American nation for the immense services rendered during the last two years," and expressing its "confidence in America's friendly collaboration for the future."

EFFECT OF SPANISH NOTE AMONG GERMANS

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 31.—A dispatch to the Havas Agency from Madrid says the Spanish note, coming so soon after the declaration by the Minister of Foreign Affairs concerning the torpedoing by German submarines of neutral vessels, has caused a great impression in Germanophile circles in the Spanish capital.

Effect.

RISE IN PRICES LAID TO WAR.

Wicks Committee Submits Report to Gov. Whitman.

Supplies are Reduced by the European Shipments.

Transport Facilities is Also Cause of Advance.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Although innumerable domestic causes are cited as having contributed to the steady increase in the cost of living in recent years, the most recent rise in prices is attributed in large measures to the European war, according to a report on foods and markets submitted to Gov. Whitman today by the Wicks Legislative Investigating Committee, the Governor's market commission and the Mayor's Food Supply Committee. The creation of a State market department, of "proper size, scope and power," and of departments of similar character in the cities of the State, are urged as "a matter of vital immediate necessity."

FOODSTUFFS SHIPPED.

The vast quantities of foodstuffs shipped to Europe, the report says, have materially reduced the supply in this country. In the first nine months of 1914 exports of breadstuffs amounted to $172,000,000; in the first nine months of 1916 the breadstuffs exported amounted to $537,000,000. Similar comparisons are given with reference to other products. It is also pointed out that while the production of potatoes in the United States this year has been 300,000,000 bushels, exports amounting to 2,700,000 bushels, were recorded to October 1.

Other factors which have contributed to the high cost of living are enumerated in part, as follows:

Lack of proper transportation and distribution facilities.

Waste of time and money in duplicate delivery and order service.

LEAVING FARMS.

The increasing tendency of the young men and women to leave the farms for the cities.

Insufficient appropriations for agricultural education and research.

Loss of live stock through disease, which might be overcome by the inauguration of a veterinary service, developed along the lines of that in practice in Europe.

Lack of talent to assist the farming community in the prosecution of scientific work for the development of the farms.

SACRAMENTO HAS SUBDUED FESTIVITIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 31.—Sacramento's New Year's Eve celebration was largely an impromptu affair. The prepared programme called for band concerts, carol singing and red fire. The celebrators listened to the bands and the singing and then contributed an accompaniment of several thousand cowbells, horns and other noise creators and what was to have been a quiet Sunday evening celebration developed into the noisiest in several years. Damp weather sent hundreds into theaters and cafes, while the churches drew many with watch-night services.

PEMBROKE CHAPEL TURNS DOWN AKED.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 20. — Dr. Charles F. Aked, best known in the United States as one-time pastor of the Fifth-avenue Baptist Church (John D. Rockefeller's church) and later as member of the Ford peace expedition, has come into prominence here again through the refusal of his former congregation, that of Pembroke Chapel, to recall him. The suggestion that the peace advocate be asked to come back to his old pulpit, was contained in a letter from J. H. Morse, senior deacon of the First Congregational Church of San Francisco, and was read to the congregation by the present pastor, the Rev. Donald B. Fraser.

Mr. Morse inquired if the pastor, Mr. Fraser, is prepared to vacate the pastorate in favor of Dr. Aked, and if Pembroke Chapel will recall the peace emissary, adding: "I think, upon the whole, that would be the most complete vindication of Dr. Aked possible, and settle for all time Dr. Aked's status in the Christian ministry." The writer said he would gladly take up the matter with Dr. Aked.

As soon as Mr. Fraser had finished reading the letter, a member of the congregation proposed a vote of confidence in the present pastor, which was immediately seconded and carried unanimously.

Richard William Silvester.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BALTIMORE (Md.) Dec. 31. — Richard William Silvester, for twenty years president of the Maryland Agricultural College until his retirement four years ago, died here today. He was 59 years old.

MIDWINTER NUMBER POSTAGE.

The Midwinter number of The Los Angeles Times may be mailed to any domestic address for 15 cents, postage prepaid, if the order is left at The Times office, or with any regular Times agent or routeman.

If mailed by the individual, the postage will be 7 cents per copy to any address in the United States or Canada. Foreign postage will be 14 cents.

Price of the Midwinter Number, postage not included, 10 cents.

Mexico.

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today from a trustworthy source. A report also reached here that the rebles took San Antonio, a town fifty miles southeast of Ojinaga, without resistance and that its garrison of twenty-five men under Capt. Chico Cano went over to them.

SMUGGLING ATTEMPT CAUSED ACTIVITY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Dec. 31.—Information that an attempt was made to smuggle a quantity of ammunition across the Rio Grande into Mexico was responsible for the dispatch of American troops to points below Laredo last night. According to information received by military authorities here, a squad of cavalry and a mounted machine-gun company were ordered to designated points along the river with instructions to intercept any persons attempting to cross and to seize any and all contraband in their possession.

It was believed in Mexican circles the munitions belong to the Felicistas, or followers of Felix Diaz, and that its movement across the border was delegated to certain members of a filibustering expedition, which passed south into Mexico several days ago. Federal officials said the revolutionists were adding to their ranks as they rapidly made their way south.

Federal officials here are investigating another report from Carranza sources, that the attempt to smuggle munitions across the border was being made in the interest of Villistas.

Late tonight no report had reached department headquarters from the machine gun company and cavalry sent to intercept the smugglers.

SOCIETY TROOPERS TO PLAY POLO IN MEXICO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

COLUMBUS (N. M.) Dec. 31.—Sergt. John W. Converse and Privates Harry Ingersoll, Barclay McFadden, L. Wister Randolph and H. Harrison Smith, all members of the First City Troop of Philadelphia, First Pennsylvania Calvary, composed of sons of families prominent in society and stationed at El Paso, arrived here yesterday en route to Gen. Pershing's headquarters in Mexico, to play a series of polo games with the Eighth Brigade team, champions of the punitive expedition. Necessary permission for the guardsmen to enter Mexico, was received late tonight from Gen. Funston.

During their stay in Mexico the expedition will furnish the visitors with horses. The team is in charge of Capt. J. Franklin McFadden of Philadelphia.

MAY BRING TROOPS TO MEXICO CITY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 31.—Dispatches from Queretaro late last night said news had been received that Gen. Fortunato may come there with the strong de facto government forces now occupying Torreon. The War Department here has issued no confirmation, however.

UTAH OFFICERS CALL IT A HOAX.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 31.—A man who had promised to reveal to Chief of Police White the identity of the person who laid the bomb at the residence of Gov. William Spry, failed to appear yesterday, according to appointment. Two officers waited for him at the designated place until 11 o'clock tonight. The officers now believe the matter a hoax or that the letter writer feared vengeance if he divulged the information.

TO TEST STATE'S ARTILLRY SERVICE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—The artillery branch of the National Guard of California will be given a chance here tomorrow to show how quickly it can get on the job. Incidentally the trial also will test the worth and readiness of the automobile reserve corps.

At an hour not to be announced beforehand, Maj. James R. Pourie, United States Army, commander of Fort Riley, will notify Col. Henry G. Matthewson, Coast Artillery, National Guard of California, that a hostile fleet is approaching San Francisco, and that the citizen soldiers of the artillery branch are wanted in a hurry to man the twelve-inch disappearing guns at Fort Miley.

The guards men will be summoned from their homes by phone and motorcycle messengers to the army wher uniforms and equipment will be served out. In the meanwhile the automobile reserve corps will have been requested to provide twenty-eight motor cars to transport the defenders to Fort Miley.

Sentiment.

BUY BIRTHPLACE OF LAFAYETTE.

HISTORIC CHATEAU IN FRANCE TO BE RESTORED.

Mrs. William Astor Chanler and John Moffat, with Whom are Associated Other Prominent Americans, Have Bought Estate from Descendent of Patriot.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The historic chateau in France, which was the birthplace of Marquis De La Fayette, has been purchased by Americans, it was announced tonight to be restored and perpetuated as a memorial, museum and home. The purchase was made possible through the efforts of Mrs. William Astor Chanler and John Moffat, associated with other prominent Americans, and the chateau will become the property of the French Heroes Fund.

The estate was sold by Marquis Gaston De La Fayette, who inherited it in 1890 from Senator Edmund De La Fayette. The present Marquis is a grandson of Gen La Fayette's only son, George Washington La Fayette.

The chateau De Chavaniac La Fayette is in the province of Auvergne in Southern France, some 400 miles from Paris. The purpose of the French Heroes Fund, it was announced, is to make the chateau a complement to Washington's home at Mt. Vernon. In it are to be kept records of colonial days as well as those of the present war. It will be made a home for orphans and soldiers who have been disabled.

Among those associated with Mrs. Chanler and Mr. Moffat in making the purchase were Theodore Roosevelt, Joseph H. Choate, Clarence Mackay, John G. Millburn, George Von L. Meyer, Dr. John Grier Hibben and Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler.

FORTY-SIX WOMEN BURNED TO DEATH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MONTREAL, Dec. 31.—Forty-six women were burned to death in a fire that destroyed St. Ferdinand De Halifax asylum, at St. Ferdinand De Halifax, Megantic county, Quebec, late Saturday night, according to a report received here.

Patients of the asylum, of whom there were 180, were all women.

Meager reports obtained from available sources give no intimation of the cause of the fire, which started while the inmates were asleep and apparently spread rapidly.

INCLEMENT WEATHER DAMPENS FESTIVITIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STOCKTON, Dec. 31.—Throngs of merry-makers filled every cafe and hotel in the city tonight to bid farewell to the old year and to welcome the new. An open-air festival planned by the Merchants' Association was abandoned because of inclement weather.

All of the Protestant churches joined in a union watch night programme, following the regular evening services. Dr. Monroe H. Alexander and Rev. E. V. Stivers were the speakers.

LID OFF WHILE SAN JOSE MADE MERRY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN JOSE, Dec. 31.—San Jose was one of the few cities in the State where drinking and dancing were permitted tonight and large crowds thronged the streets, hotels and cafes and made merry in spite of a sharp protest and rebuke administered in resolutions by the pastors' union condemning the celebration of the passing of the old year tonight.

Rain today did not dampen the spirits of the revelers and tonight was clear. The police had instructions to be unusually strict.

PROSPEROUS DESPITE WAR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 31, (via London, 9:15 p.m.)—The bankruptcies in Germany for the year 1916 numbered 2277 as compared with 4580 and 7738 in 1915 and 1914 respectively.

Skeletons of Giants Found.

[Christian Herald:] Prof. Skinner, of the American Indian Museum, excavating the mound at Tioga Point, near Sayre, Pa., uncovered the bones of sixty-eight men, which he estimates had been buried at least 700 or 800 years. The average height indicated by the skeletons was seven feet, but many were taller. Evidence of the gigantic size of these men was seen in huge axes found beside the bones.

Finale.

RUSSIAN DUMA ENDS AN EVENTFUL SESSION.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Dec. 30 (via London, Dec. 31.)—The meeting of the Duma yesterday concluded the most eventful session in the history of Russia's representative chamber.

Beginning with a violent attack on the government by Prof. Milukoff, leader of the Constitutional Democrats, which was followed by sensational disclosures in the speeches of Vladimir Purishkevich and others, the Duma united in a formula directed against the "dark forces" which the Duma was convinced were undermining the nation's best efforts to conduct the war successfully and creating disorganization in all departments of the government and in the interior.

The Duma's resolution was followed by a like formula in the Council of the Empire and even in the Congress of Nobles. In the last meeting before adjournment, Prof. Milukoff emphasized the fact that the struggle was not yet at an end.

"We must say loudly that we won't give up the fight until our aim is reached," he said. "The moral support of the entire nation will give weight to our decision. In the interior, as elsewhere, a complete change is necessary before the objects mentioned in the Emepror's ukase can be achieved."

The Duma passed the following resolution concerning the recent prohibition of a meeting of the Zemstvos in the town of Sovus:

"Whereas, the prohibition of the congress of Zemsky in the town of Sovus, in sharp contradiction to the declaration of the Premier, who acknowledged their highly patriotic work, and whereas, this work, necessary to the army, cannot properly be developed because of the impediments placed in the place of public organizations assisting in the work of carrying on the war, which is causing displeasure throughout the country, and whereas, they indorse the resolution expressed by the legislative chambers regarding the present situation and therefore give strong manifestations of the moral support of the nation—the imperial Duma, welcomes the patriotic work of the unions engaged in the work of defense and strongly condemns the prohibition of their meeting."

PANAMA LABORERS GRANTED INCREASE.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

PANAMA, Dec. 16.—The board appointed by Acting Gov. Harding to consider a revision of wages and conditions of employment of alien canal laborers, mostly negroes, has granted an increase of about 20 per cent. in pay to the lowest paid laborers, making the minimum wage 12 instead of 10 cents an hour. Minor increases are given for the more skilled labor, and those on hazardous jobs. The new wage scale goes into effect January 1. The board went on record as recognizing the obligation of the government to pay its men a wage sufficient to maintain them in reasonable comfort and decency, and stated that the higher standard to which the West Indians had become accustomed was a reason for maintaining improved conditions.

The desirability of housing the employees on the Canal Zone was stated, and Acting Gov. Harding has recommended an additional appropriation to take care of this. This feature has military aspects, as during the recent strike it was brought out that inimical interests operating in Panama might prevent many of the laborers from going from their houses to work and thus cripple the operation of the canal.

JAP STEAMERS MAKE BIG PROFIT.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

TOKIO, Nov. 30.—The Nippon Yusen Kaisha, the empire's largest steamship company, announces net profits amounting to about $8,500,000 during the first half of the current year. This is about $2,800,000 more than the profits during the previous six months. A dividend of 28 per cent. will be declared at a meeting of the stockholders this month.

TOWN CLOCK STOPS AT SAN LUIS OBISPO.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Dec. 31.—That funds may be legally provided for the fixing of the town clock, a special meeting of the Board of Trustees has been called for Thursday night.

For several days the town clock has been stopping at 12:55, with the result that those originally depending upon it for guidance have been all the way from a half to three hours late to work after the midday meal, greatly to the annoyance and chagrin of local employers.

There are many clocks in San Luis Obispo, but the town clock on the Warden Building is the official time piece and for more than a quarter of a century has run like a splendidly regulated railroad watch, seldom varying a minute a month. Just what is the cause of the present trouble has not been determined.

SAN FERNANDO PAVED ROAD NEARLY DONE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BURBANK, Dec. 31.—The paving of the San Fernando road will be completed by Contractor Cox of Pasadena in four weeks. He declares that it will be one of the best roads in Southern California for the reason that it is an old traveled one and that he found macadam under the right of way for fourteen inches in many places.

The paved track through the town will be twenty-two feet wide.

PLANNING TO MEET GOVERNMENT DEFICIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Secretary McAdoo estimates tonight that under existing revenue laws the government's deficit on June 30, 1918 will be $179,000,000 and that in order to meet this and give the Treasury the necessary working balance of $100,000,000, Congress will have to raise $279,000,000 additional revenue, during the coming fiscal year. The Secretary takes it for granted that bonds will be issued for $154,256,000 to reimburse the general fund for $162,418,000 estimated expenditures for the Mexican border patrol up to June 30, 1917, and for $21,838,000, estimated expenditures for the Alaskan railway to June 30, 1918. This would leave $154,817,000 to be raised by taxation.

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THREE BILLIO MINES OUT

Most Enormous Prod Ever Known.

Copper is Year's Sen with Prices High.

California Fields are in Yield of Oil.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31. billion dollars is the value p the 1916 output of America in estimates made to Secreta today by the Geological Sur enormous production was a nied by the greatest profits t ing industry of the country known, copper alone nettin $300,000,000.

Production, it is estimated, at least 25 per cent. ahead The copper output was th tion of the year in the mining At an average price of 27 pound, the 1916 production value of $530,000,000 compar $343,000,000 the year befo profits were the greatest ever in the metal. Prices averaged ly more than 27 cents as about 17 cents in 1915.

ARIZONA LEADS COPP

Arizona led the States in production, mining 875, pounds against 432,000,000 the year before. Montana ca and with 250,000,000 pound Michigan was third, with 1 000, Alaska mined 130, pounds, which was almost tw 1915 production. Tennessee failed to increase its yield.

Iron contends with copper place among the metals pro shipments of iron ore amou $175,000,000, an increase of $ 000 over 1915. The country produced 75,500,000 gross against 55,000,000 the year Production of pig iron duri year made a record with 39, tons, against 30,000,000 tons Iron ore, in stock at the m put at 10,000,000 tons, a fall of 3,000,000 tons since last y

COAL PRODUCTION.

The 1916 coal production was the greatest ever known mines sold 597,500,000 tons, pared with 570,000,000, the established in 1913. The quan bituminous coal mined was 5 000, an increase of 66,500,000 last year.

More than 35,000,000 tons lite coke was manufactured, crease of 21 per cent. over th before and 500,000 tons mo the record breaking total of By-product coke manufa amounted to 19,200,000 tons crease of 5,000,000 tons over

CRUDE PETROLEUM.

Preliminary estimates indic per cent. more crude petroleu marketed in 1916 than in 191 total amount produced is put a 300,000 barrels. About 38 per c this came from the Oklahoma the balance from the Illinois, and the remainder from the Appalachian, Indiana, Illinois, Texas, North Louisiana and Mountain fields.

The 1916 domestic output of silver was valued at $3,542,00 greatest production in quantity 1904 and the greatest in value 1876. High prices stimulated usual activity in the Western

VALUE OF SPELTER.

The value of spelter of the States ore in 1916 was $150,0 The output of zinc increased tions making a new record f metal. Lead also shows a lar crease, the $75,000,000 outpu resenting a gain of 50 per cent

Every western State shows mining gain. Arizona's output shows an increase of $100,0 Utah and Montana combined another $100,000,000. Ten mi Arizona paid $24,000,000 in divi during the year. Utah, Mo Nevada, and Idaho combined $66,000,000 in dividends.

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OWN CHARLES UNGARY'S KING

een Hundred Nobles at Gorgeous Spectacle.

en Zita Attends Ceremony and Receives Rites.

Ruler Forgot Important Sword Defense Pass.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

DAPEST, Saturday, Dec. 30, London, Dec. 31.)—An assem- of 1500 Hungarian nobles wit- d the coronation of King es and Queen Zita. It was ost brilliant in the history of ountry. Not even the crown- of Francis Joseph presented a spectacle of the kingdom's h. The coronation was en- a Hungarian event. No for- princess were present except Ferdinand of Bulgaria, who at- d in the capacity of a Magyar ate, which he is by birth. The ian Ambassador Penfield was of the few neutral diplomats t.

g Charles was attired in the ungarian uniform, with a pale mantle, black boots and gold Queen Zita wore pale blu- ded silk with a white veil and iamond studded crown above a blue cap.

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The service obliged the King el long and frequently and he uneasily while Cardinal och, primate of Hungary, was g prayer.

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pressure of state affairs d King Charles to return to this evening. He intends er, to spend six months of year in the Hungarian capital.

F. SALARIES OF DUTCH DEPUTIES.

P. [illegible] CORRESPONDENCE.]

GUE (Netherlands) Dec er 30.—The Second Chamber liament has passed a revised of the Constitution which will the salaries of members from o $1200 a year. Deputies will the be paid their traveling ses, and on retirement get an pension equal to $40 for year in which they sat in the er, up to maximum of $300.

overnment's proposal to pay ditional attendance fee of $2 ting with a view to combatting tendism" was rejected as being patible with the chamber's

D THEIR FIRST UNICIPAL WEDDING.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

N BERNARDINO, Dec. 31.— new and the old year gripped and parted. Miss Gertrude and Robert Friedell, a city fire were wedded tonight in the unicipal wedding in the his- of the city.

er George H. Wixom, pastor Reorganized Church of Jesus Latter Day Saints, officiated members of the official fam- luding Councilman C. W. Boe- Fire Chief Frank G. Starke hers, were witnesses.

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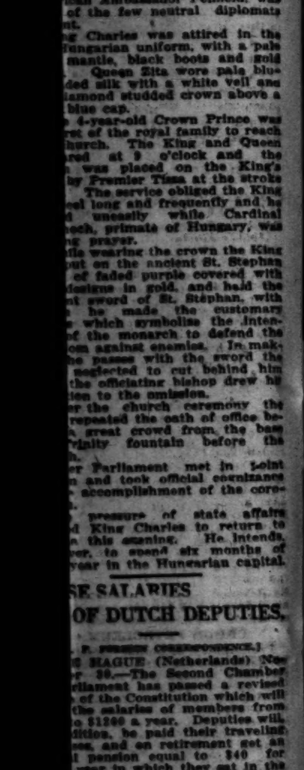

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THREE BILLIONS MINES OUTPUT.

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Copper is Year's Sensation, with Prices High.

California Fields are Second in Yield of Oil.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Three billion dollars is the value put upon the 1916 output of American mines in estimates made to Secretary Lane today by the Geological Survey. The enormous production was accompanied by the greatest profits the mining industry of the country ever has known, copper alone netting about $500,000,000.

Production, it is estimated, has run at least 25 per cent. ahead of 1915.

The copper output was the sensation of the year in the mining world. At an average price of 27 cents a pound, the 1916 production had a value of $520,000,000 compared with $311,000,000 the year before. The profits were the greatest ever known in the metal. Prices averaged slightly more than 27 cents as against about 17 cents in 1915.

ARIZONA LEADS COPPER.

Arizona led the States in copper production, mining 675,000,000 pounds against 432,000,000 pounds the year before. Montana came second with 350,000,000 pounds, and Michigan was third, with 268,000,000. Alaska mined 130,000,000 pounds, which was almost twice the 1915 production. Tennessee alone failed to increase its yield.

Iron contends with copper for first place among the metals produced. Shipments of iron ore amounted to 81[illegible],000, an increase of $77,000,000 over 1915. The country's mines produced 75,500,000 gross tons, against 55,000,000 the year before. Production of pig iron during the year made a record with 39,000,000 tons against 30,000,000 tons in 1915. Iron ore in stock at the mines is put at 10,000,000 tons, a falling off of 1,000,000 tons since last year.

COAL PRODUCTION.

The 1916 coal production also was the greatest ever known. The mines sold 587,500,000 tons, compared with 570,000,000, the record established in 1913. The quantity of bituminous coal mined was 509,000,000, an increase of 66,500,000 over last year.

More than 35,000,000 tons of beehive coke was manufactured, an increase of 31 per cent. over the year before and 500,000 tons more than the record breaking total of 1910. By-product coke manufactured amounted to 19,100,000 tons, an increase of 5,000,000 tons over 1915.

CRUDE PETROLEUM.

Preliminary estimates indicate 4 per cent. more crude petroleum was produced in 1916 than in 1915. The total amount produced is put at 292,-000,000 barrels. About 38 per cent. of this came from the Oklahoma-Kansas field; 30 per cent. from California and the remainder from the Appalachian, Indiana, Illinois, North Texas, North Louisiana and Rocky Mountain fields.

The 1916 domestic output of quicksilver was valued at $3,842,000, the greatest production in quantity since 1881 and the greatest in value since 1875. High prices stimulated unusual activity in the Western States.

VALUE OF SPELTER.

The value of spelter of the United States ore in 1916 was $150,000,000. The output of zinc increased 960,000 tons, making a new record for the world. Lead also shows a large increase, the 675,000,000 output representing a gain of 50 per cent.

Every western State shows a big mining gain. Arizona's output alone shows an increase of $100,000,000; Utah and Montana combined show another $100,000,000. Ten mines in Montana paid $34,000,000 in dividends during the year. Utah, Montana, Nevada and Idaho combined paid $50,000,000 in dividends.

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MODERATE TEMPERATURES.

Milder in Middle West with East Clear.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 31. — Temperatures over the Middle West continued to moderate today, accompanied by snow in several States. Chicago had maximum of 35 deg., minimum, 18 deg., and a snow flurry early this evening. Eastern States are slightly colder, but clear and dry. Minnesota, Wyoming and the Dakotas still report below zero, ranging from 2 to 16 deg. Southern States were colder, but Western Canada was several degrees warmer.

Temperatures elsewhere, as officially reported by the United States Weather Bureau, are as follows:

Station—	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	62	..
Boise, Idaho	20	..
Bonita, Cal.	..	34
Boston, Mass.	24	..
Buffalo, N. Y.	26	..
Calgary, Alberta	34	..
Corona, Cal.	..	30
Denver, Colo.	48	..
Des Moines, Iowa	32	..
Dodge City, Kan.	46	..
Duluth, Minn.	28	..
Durango, Colo.	34	..
Escondido, Cal.	..	29
Eureka, Cal.	48	40
Flagstaff, Ariz.	22	4
Fresno, Cal.	46	38
Galveston, Tex.	64	..
Havre, Mont.	28	..
Helena, Mont.	16	..
Huron, S. D.	32	..
Independence, Cal.	38	..
Jacksonville, Fla.	60	..
Kamloops, B. C.	28	..
Kansas City, Mo.	36	..
Knoxville, Tenn.	48	..
Los Angeles, Cal.	59	..
Memphis, Tenn.	64	..
Modena, Utah	26	..
Montreal, Quebec	22	..
Moorhead, Minn.	20	..
Mt. Wilson, Cal.	..	25
New Orleans, La.	64	..
New York, N. Y.	30	..
North Head, Wash.	40	..
North Platte, Neb.	38	..
Oklahoma City, Okla.	46	..
Omaha, Neb.	36	..
Pasadena, Cal.	..	31
Phoenix, Ariz.	60	36
Pittsburg, Pa.	30	..
Pomona, Cal.	..	28
Portland, Or.	38	..
Rapid City, S. D.	34	..
Red Bluff, Cal.	46	34
Redlands, Cal.	..	28
Reno, Nev.	26	14
Riverside, Cal.	..	30
Roseburg, Or.	42	..
Roswell, N. M.	50	..
St. Louis, Mo.	40	..
St. Paul, Minn.	30	..
Sacramento, Cal.	42	..
Salt Lake City, Utah	24	..
Santa Barbara, Cal.	..	38
San Bernardino, Cal.	..	29
San Diego, Cal.	60	42
San Francisco, Cal.	42	40
Seattle, Wash.	44	..
Sheridan, Wyo.	28	..
Spokane, Wash.	26	..
Swift Current, Sask.	24	..
Tampa, Fla.	72	..
Tonopah, Nev.	28	18
Tucson, Ariz.	..	32
Tustin, Cal.	..	31
Washington, D. C.	32	..
Winnemucca, Nev.	24	*4
Winnipeg, Man.	12	..

*Indicates below zero.

HEAVY REGISTRY OF AUTOS IN STATE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 31.—During the year 1916, 230,008 automobiles were registered in California, according to figures given out here yesterday by H. A. French, superintendent of the State motor vehicle department. This is an increase of 66,813 over the total of 1915. Gross receipts increased $132,655 to $2,-192,338, according to the statement, the comparative smallness in the increase being due to change in the method of computing horse power. During the year 30,474 motorcycles paid the State tax, an increase of 4072.

For 1917, 51,838 automobile licenses have been issued, bringing into the coffers of the State $839,544.

WILL GIVE PLACE TO A DEMOCRAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TACOMA, Dec. 31.—Warren H. Lewis of Seattle, who received 32,-000 more votes as a Republican candidate for the Electoral College than Edwin M. Connor, the lowest Democratic elector, will permit the Democrats to choose one of their party to vote in his place, he announced in a letter, made public here yesterday.

Lewis was elected when the death of one of the Democratic candidates, after his name had been printed on the ballot, caused a split vote.

If Lewis carries out his announced intention of remaining away from the meeting of the Democratic electors, they may legally select a successor to him, it is said.

FIRST TO BORROW UNDER LOAN LAW.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HELENA (Mont.) Dec. 31.—The State farm loan law is in actual operation and Jean T. Braun, living near Baker, has the distinction of being the first borrower under the act. William Brulo, Deputy State Land Examiner, returned yesterday from Eastern Montana, where he closed the deal and paid over the money December 22.

Mr. Braun applied for a loan of $2000 on 320 acres of land not far from Baker. It was appraised by Mr. Brulo at $7864. There are ninety acres under cultivation and 173 acres have been plowed.

The loan runs for not less than 6 per cent. interest. After the third year Braun can pay off any part of the principal in multiples of $100.

Sixty-fourth Congress.

EXTRA SESSION MAY BE CALLED.

If Strong Opposition to New Railroad Law Arises.

Keen Contest Likely Over the President's Measure.

Many Other Bills Expected will Clog Calendar.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Congress reconvenes Tuesday to face several salient issues which must be given consideration together with the annual appropriation bill and many general legislative measures that long have awaited action. Administration leaders are inclined to view the legislative accumulation with despair and to fear an extra session of the new and politically somewhat uncertain Congress will be demanded.

President Wilson's emphasis Saturday of his earnest desire for railroad strike prevention legislation served to quicken interest in the subject. Strong opposition in both houses to the measure which would make railroad strikes illegal pending extensive official investigation gives assurances of a keen contest with the result in doubt.

Tuesday morning hearings before the Interstate Commerce Commission will begin on the railroad legislation recommendation, especially the strike prevention and the arbitration bill.

Another overshadowing problem before Congress, the revenue producing necessity, will be taken up by the Ways and Means Committee immediately. Administration leaders in Congress and Treasury officials have been studying revenue raising possibilities and many suggestions will be submitted to the committee. Among them are a proposed increase in the normal income tax, restoration of tariff duties on wool, rubber and coffee, increased liquor and other internal revenue taxes, horizontal customs increases and many other proposals.

Ultimate revenue action probably will be the last work before the March adjournment. The House still has nine big appropriation bills, including the supply measures for the reconstructed army and navy, and the Senate has thirteen arrpropriation bills to dispose of.

Besides these there are investigations threatened into phases of the recent election, and inquiry is being urged into an alleged leak of advance information on the President's recent peace note.

Still another important measure which the President is urging, is the Webb bill to permit domestic corporations to maintain collective selling agencies abroad. All these things serve to clog the business calendar for the two months which remain at the disposal of Congress and leaders already are considering regular night sessions in both houses.

NORTH DAKOTA BANK SWINDLERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FARGO (N. D.) Dec. 31.—Officials of the North Dakota Bankers' Association expressed the belief here last night that the organization's criminal investigation section, working in conjunction with the Minneapolis office of a private detective agency, has unearthed evidence in this State of the operations of a gang of swindlers, continuing over the past three years and designed to make January 1, 1917, the date for a grand finale netting more than $10,000 profit.

The banks in the northwest part of North Dakota, declare the swindlers obtained $2500 from one of their clients by putting up bogus collateral in the form of worthless deeds. They are also declared to have secured contracts to more than 1000 acres of North Dakota land, paying only small amounts to take possession and then shipping stock from them to the Chicago markets. These contracts were to expire January 1.

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HAMILTON W. MABIE'S USEFUL LIFE ENDS.

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Author of Remarkable Essays, Wrote Beautiful Children's Fairy Stories, Authority on Shakespeare and Art of Writing—Identified with Many Scientific Societies.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SUMMIT (N. J.) Dec. 31.—Hamilton Wright Mabie, associate editor of the Outlook, died at his home here today. He was 70 years old and was born at Cold Springs, N. Y. He is survived by a widow and one daughter.

Dr. Mabie was graduated from Williams College in 1867 and from Columbia Law School in 1869, and for several years practiced law in this city. He became associated with the Outlook in 1879.

Dr. Mabie was the author of several literary studies, but his most frequent contributions were to magazines and newspapers in the form of essays. Some of his best-known works are: "Norse Stories, Retold from the Eddas," "Nature in New England," "Short Studies in Literature," "The Life of the Spirit" and "Life of Shakespeare."

Three years ago he was received by the Emperor of Japan at Tokio, while on a lecture tour of Japan.

Dr. Mabie was president of the New York Kindergarten Association, secretary of the American Society of Arts and Letters and a member of the Century Association and other organizations.

Croup.

Every young child is susceptible to croup. Don't wait until this dreadful disease attacks your little one before you prepare for it. It comes in the night when chemists' shops are usually closed, and this alone should be a warning. Get and keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy on hand. It never fails, acts quickly and is absolutely harmless.—[Advertisement.

RAILWAY TRAINMEN TO MEET IN CHICAGO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Dec. 31.—Fred Barr, of this city, general chairman of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen of the El Paso district, stated tonight that he had been notified to be in Chicago January 11 for a conference with the chiefs of the four railway brotherhoods, similar to the meeting that was held in Washington last fall just prior to the passage of the Adamson law. The conference, it is said, will determine the course the brotherhoods will pursue following the decision of the United States Supreme Court on the Adamson Act.

FORMER CASHIER GIVEN FIVE YEARS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FARGO (N. D.) Dec. 31.—W. F Kittel, former cashier of the First National Bank of Casselton, who, with his brother, R. C. Kittel, former president of that institution, pleaded guilty to falsifying accounts and records of the bank, was yesterday sentenced to five years in the Federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. His brother is now serving a term of seven and a half years at that prison.

The bank failed December 6, 1915, but was later reorganized and all creditors paid in full. A shortage of more than $250,000 was found.

A petition for the pardon of W. F. Kittel was sent to President Wilson several weeks ago.

STEAMER SERVICE BY CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

TOKIO, Nov. 30.—The inauguration of steamship freight service between Japan and South America by way of the Cape of Good Hope is announced by the Osaka Shosen Kaisha. Four ships, each of about 8500 tons displacement, will be placed on the new line. The boats will start from Yokohama and call at Kobe, Moji, Hongkong, Shanghai, Singapore, Durban, Capetown, Rio de Janeiro and Buenos Aires. Later the company plans to take passengers.

IRELAND PLANTING ON A LARGE SCALE.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

DUBLIN, Dec. 20.—Tree-planting on a large scale is going on in Ireland to replace the timber cut down for use in the war. In Cavan county 70,000 trees have been planted, and in other counties many thousands have been put down. Agricultural societies are offering afforestation prizes.

WILSON APPOINTS A RHODES SCHOLAR.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

OXFORD (Eng.) Dec. 15.—Gilchrist B. Stockton, president of the American Club at Oxford University, and Rhodes Scholar from the State of Florida has received an appointment from President Wilson as assistant secretary at the American Embassy in London. Mr. Stockton will hold office for one year.

BRITON GIVES BEER TO HIS LIVE STOCK.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONDON, Dec. 20. — Giving evidence in favor of the retention of a license to sell liquors in a small suburb of London, a farmer said that he found the solitary inn a great convenience. He said he was in the habit of giving a quart of beer to the cows after calving, and that he also gave them a pint of whisky occasionally. The stock would suffer, he said, if deprived of these beverages.

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WASHINGTON GOVERNOR TAKES ISSUE WITH LEWIS.

Although Republican Received More Votes than Democrat, His Opponent Should be Credited with Those of Deceased Candidate He Replaced.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OLYMPIA (Wash.) Dec. 31.—Gov. Lister took exception to a statement issued yesterday by Warren D. Lewis, highest electoral candidate on the Republican ticket in November, to the effect that Lewis would not claim a seat in the Electoral College, although he "had received more votes than E. M. Connor, the lowest Democratic elector."

Gov. Lister pointed out that the Secretary of State had issued a certificate of election to Connor after investigating Lewis's apparent plurality which showed votes as follows: Lewis, 167,344; Connor 134,-481, and A. T. Stream, 47,977. Connor was substituted upon Stream's death a short time prior to the election, many ballots being issued with Stream's name printed. The Secretary of State ruled that Stream's vote should be counted for Connor.

The Governor today sent a telegram to Connor saying: "Mr. Lewis's assertion be received a greater number of votes than you, is an incorrect statement of facts." The Governor declared: "Mr Lewis's waiver of a right to cast a vote for Hughes is an entirely unnecessary concession as the records show many thousands more votes were cast for you than for Mr. Lewis."

TEXAS LOCAL OPTION CONDITIONS CONTINUE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DALLAS (Tex.) Dec. 31.—Local option elections in Texas yesterday did not change the situation any between prohibition and license saloons. Scurry county, of which Snyder is the county seat, voted overwhelmingly to remain dry, while two precincts in Cameron county, on the Mexican border, in which many National Guardsmen are stationed, voted to remain wet by small majorities.

FOUR SUBMARINES PUT INTO HAVANA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

HAVANA, Dec. 31.—Four American submarines, the L-1, L-2, L-3 and L-4, under command of Lieutenant-Command Boyd, arrived here last night from Key West, convoyed by the U. S. S. Bushnell, a submarine mother ship. The L-3 was towed into port, her engines having failed.

The submarines will remain here over New Year's and then will proceed to the naval base at Quantanamo.

DENMARK IS FEELING PINCH OF THE WAR.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 20.—Denmark, like many other neutral countries, is beginning to feel the pinch of the war. Foodstuffs and fuel are becoming scarce and the government has been forced to take steps to conserve supplies.

Rye bread, the usual bread of the country, has since December 1, been mixed with 10 per cent. of barley, and it is believed that the percentage will soon be raised to 20 per cent.

Plans are under way to regulate the consumption and price of home-grown sugar, by the issue of cards, each person being allowed one pound a week.

Houses and flats are scarce, owing to the cessation of building made necessary by the increased price of materials. For some time past the municipalities have been compelled to find shelter for many houseless families in school buildings and in temporary structures.

TOKIO EPIDEMIC GREATLY ABATED.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

TOKIO, Nov. 30.—The cholera epidemic has greatly abated. No new cases have been reported in Tokio since November 15, and the rate of increase throughout the empire has fallen to about twenty cases daily.

GERMANS DENUDE FACTORY OF HANDS.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

ROTTERDAM (Netherlands) Nov. 30.—How an entire factory staff of 350 hands was carried off to forced labor in German service is told by one of the numerous Belgian civilians who have escaped over the Dutch frontier in the last few days, and is reported in the Belgisch Dagblad.

The well-known De Naeyer paper works at Willebrook, near Malines, were suddenly surrounded by German soldiers at 3 o'clock one afternoon, according to the account. A train, composed of freight cars drew up before the principal entrance, on the branch line connecting with the main railroad. No one was allowed in or out of the works. A German officer and one or two men entered, and went through the shops ordering overseers and workmen to stop their work and collect together at an indicated spot. Protests were of no avail; everyone had to obey. Then in parties of a score they were taken out under military escort and loaded into the cattle trucks, and the entire staff thus carried off to an unknown destination. Although they only had their blue workmen's smocks, the men were even refused permission to go home and get a few indispensable things together. The narrator of the story himself hailed from Willebrook, and the facts were confirmed by another citizen of that place.

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—The Japanese gardens, shrubbery and trees are beyond description; over $6000 has been spent in improving the grounds. If you like a place nicely laid out and fully developed you will fall in love with this real California home.

—The house is a very large artistic bungalow of 10 rooms and servants' quarters. The finest of material was put into this place, no economy was spared from basement to roof. The mahogany and oak interior finish is all of selected grain and rubbed to a piano finish. Four main bedrooms and three splendid baths. A breakfast-room that is a dream. Silk tapestry in living and dining-room, also library. Electric fixtures are of the best.

—Garage for two cars. Jap's room and bath off garage. House and garage are painted white outside. The house is in splendid condition inside and out.

—The owner built this place for his own residence, but circumstances compel a quick sale, therefore the sacrifice of price. It cost him over $35,000. You can buy it for $25,000, at least one-half cash. Positively no trades considered.

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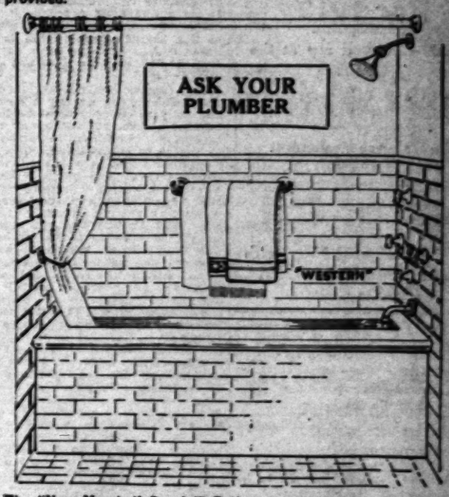

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Third morning paper	114,926	22,526	137,452	84,238
First evening paper	124,432	16,520	140,952	80,738
Second evening paper	129,710	10,584	140,294	81,396
Third evening paper	63,522	3,864	67,386	154,304

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Steamship Beaver SAILS SATURDAY JANUARY 6
SAN FRANCISCO $5.35 and $8.35
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WITHOUT CHANGE. ALL RATES INCLUDE MEALS AND BERTH.
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STUDENTS' RATES, RETURN LIMIT MAY 25, 1917.
SAIL EVERY DAY, Except Tuesday
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$4 SAN DIEGO AND RETURN—Sail Sunday, Wed., Friday
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SS GREAT NORTHERN
SAILINGS FROM LOS ANGELES
JAN. 5-24,
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APRIL 12, MAY 1
Make your reservation now
TICKET OFFICES
607 So. Spring St., Hayward Hotel
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American—Hawaiian STEAMSHIP COMPANY
All sailings between U. S. Atlantic and U. S. Pacific ports are cancelled until further notice.
603 Merchants Nat'l Bank Bldg. Phone, Home 60679; Main 5441.

City Restaurants

A Resolution For 1917
Lunch, dine and sup at the CAFE
BRISTOL
the De Luxe Restaurant
4TH & SPRING ST.

Angelus Grill
Will Serve a Special New Year's Dinner Sunday and Monday, 5:00 to 8:30.

The Victor Hugo
RESTAURANT FRANCAIS—A LA CARTE
Genuine French cuisine—Refined entertainment—Best of service—More than a restaurant—A Metropolitan "Institution."
623 South Hill Street

FEEDING THE GREAT ARMIES.

The German System Believed to be the Best Developed.

[Leslie's:] Soldiers in war must be well fed, no matter what happens to the population at home. With all that we read in the newspapers about the suffering multitudes of Germany nobody intimates that the German soldiers are hungry.

The importance of the commissary department has long been recognized and the best-fed army is usually the most cheerful and courageous. The German General Staff is probably the most systematic and abundant provider of viands in the world, but the British are not far behind. Only the other day a contract was awarded to a Canadian packing-house for 600,000,000 one-pound cans of beef stew for the British Tommies.

Men who have been along the British front say that not even the impossibility of getting a drink causes as much grumbling as does the lack of strawberry jam. The issue of jam is an institution in the British service. All the armies use a vast quantity of chocolate in one form or another—usually highly sweetened. Coffe is the soldier's drink the world around, but the Britisher substitutes tea on many occasions, and the habit is said to be spreading to his French comrades. Russian soldiers are inveterate tea drinkers, as is everybody in Russia.

The Germans have shown the greatest ingenuity in replenishing their food stores. It is said that they were even able to trade the Turks ammunition for foodstuffs, although Turkey was short of eatables before the road was opened from Berlin to Constantinople. In all the vast area of territory that the Germans have taken they have not missed anything in the form of food. Northern France has contributed its quota. Being a fine fruit country it has helped to make up the equivalent of the English jam. Even Serbia, impoverished by three wars, contributed 90,000 pigs to Germany's depleted stock.

Men leading active lives, largely in the open air, are usually big eaters, and soldiers on duty must be in the best of health, therefore any army rations must be liberal in size as well as varied in composition. The consumption of food in wartime is therefore increased, and much is wasted. That is one reason why the prices of food have soared in all the European countries, though another reason may well be that on the average people have more money to spend now than they did before the war.

When we consider the vast quantities of food taken for army use—when we remember that there is only one standard ration for all soldiers of any nationality, and that the poorest laborer who has responded to his country's call is just as well fed as the duke's son who has shouldered a rifle—if any such thing has happened—and that this average or universal ration is far above the average ration of all the population in times of peace, both in quantity and quality, we do not have to be possessed of vivid imagination to picture what is going to happen to food prices if the war lasts a year or two longer.

NEW PLAN FOR DEFENSE.

Suggested That All Police and Health Officers Be Made Soldiers.

[Scientific Monthly:] We should have the best army for defense and improved police forces if all local police were soldiers, one-twelfth of their wages being paid by the nation and one month annually being spent in camps and drills. Idling in barracks is a method for the promotion of war, drunkenness and disease.

The engineering corps, the health service and the commissariat are the most important factors in modern warfare. Engineers, health officers, inspectors of food and others employed by the nation, the State and the municipalities should be at the same time officers in the army and those under them enlisted men. A well-organized and efficient army for defense would thus be maintained at comparatively small expense, and be an institution for education instead of for demoralization.

The navy should be converted into a merchant marine, carrying a postal, express, freight and passenger service to every port in the world. At the cost of an idle navy five to ten times as many ships and men could be maintained and employed in useful work. In case of war swift ships and experienced men would win over dreadnaughts. Shipyards and factories for armaments and ammunition should be owned by the nation and manned by officers and enlisted men.

The army and the navy can be made self-supporting nearly as easily as the postoffice. If we had for the past three years employed a large force of men on the Mexican border to build railways and roads, irrigation dams and other public works, it would probably have been a good investment. The net cost would certainly have been less than maintaining there an idle army, and our neighbors would have learned from us the ways of industry and peace instead of being irritated by an apparent threat. There would probably have been no raid; if it had been necessary for us to punish raiders it could have been done more effectively and with less friction than by the army as at present organized.

Long Career.

CLOSES USEFUL LIFE.

Former Manager for Western Union in Los Angeles was Engaged in Continuous Telegraph Work for This Corporation for Half Century.

E. A. Beardslee, former manager of the Western Union for Los Angeles, died yesterday at his residence, No. 603 Ave. 64, Garvanza, where he had resided for the past nine years. He is survived by the widow and one son, William E. M. Beardslee. The funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Highland Park Undertaking Company, No. 5360 Pasadena avenue, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

For more than fifty years Mr. Beardslee was engaged in continuous work for the Western Union Telegraph Company, and for twenty-five years was commercial manager for the company at Los Angeles. He retired on pension four years ago.

He began as a messenger boy when only 9 years old, and later left school to study telegraphy and served an apprenticeship of an entire year without pay. When he was only 16, at the beginning of the Civil War, he was given an important post and served faithfully throughout this conflict. He then continued in the service of the company in Boston until 1879, when he came to California, being first located at Sacramento, and then being transferred to Los Angeles as manager, about 1886.

Mr. Beardslee was a public-spirited man and was deeply interested in young men, with whom he had a wide influence for good. Many telegrams of condolence were received by the family yesterday.

CHARTING THE OCEAN.

Ships' Safety Depends Upon Surveys of all Submerged Rocks.

[Tit Bits:] Few people realize how useless every ship on the sea, from a dreadnaught to a tramp steamer, would be but for the labor of the chartmaker. If coasts and seas were unmapped, disasters would be continually overtaking ocean-going ships, for submerged rocks, shoals, sea currents and many other similar menaces to the mariner could not be located.

Every nation possessing a coastline retains special vessels for the purpose of sea surveying, equipped with various necessary intruments and a carefully trained staff. Great Britain has about eleven ships engaged in such work, both in home waters and in foreign seas, and nearly a thousand men are employed. The sea surveying vessels voyage round the coastline making frequent soundings, and especially watching for any dangerous change in the shape of the sea bottom. For the latter is continually shifting as tides and currents collect sand at one point and deposit it at another, while the action of the waves is continuously changing the contour of our coastline.

The speed with which the chartmakers work can be gauged from the fact that in one year British hydrographers surveyed 212 miles of coastline and sounded 2819 square miles of ocean in the same period. Whenever possible, sea captains lend a helping hand to the chartmakers by reporting the presence of any unrecorded rock or shoal which they may observe during their voyage. The sea surveyors then investigate the mariner's story, and this often means voyages at a moment's notice to distant parts of the globe. Such expeditions are hastily carried out, for if uncharted rocks lurk near shipping lanes they can cause grave disaster if not located immediately. On one occasion a large granite rock for five years stood eight feet below the water close to a crowded shipping route, which no chart recorded, until it was accidentally discovered.

War Inspires Inventors.

[A. V. Hill, in the Atlantic:] I am still attached to the munitions inventions department. The censor won't mind if I tell you one or two of the inventions we receive for obvious reasons, unless he is as feeble-minded as the gentleman who expurgated the line from the Recessional, "the captains and the kings depart" by cutting out "and the kings." One very helpful one was from a lady who desired to exterminate Zeppelins. She argued: "The clouds float in the air, and the clouds are made of water. Ice floats in water, so ice will float in air. Let us freeze the clouds, therefore, and send up anti-craft guns in balloons to fire upon them." She admitted that she did not know exactly how to freeze the clouds, but she left that to the experts. They all leave practical details like that to the experts. A gentleman invented a circular gun, which shot round corners, and not only provided working drawings of his invention, but also a beautiful water-color picture of the Huns being exterminated by its mediation. Another chap is blessed with "perspective ideas" and thinks he can find ranges without a base by the aid of perspective. He wanders around with a certificate, signed by an adjutant, to the effect that he actually has found three ranges correctly. The number he has found incorrectly is not stated.

EMPRESS EUGENIE.

Edward Legge Writes the Life of a Famous Woman and of Her Luckless Son.

[The Argonaut:] It is nearly half a century since the fall of Paris before the hosts of Germany, and the banishment of Napoleon III and Empress Eugenie. The Emperor died many years ago; but his consort has lived to see her country involved in another death struggle. Ninety years of age, she is still comparatively active, and has had a share in the past two years in taking care of those who have been wounded in fighting for the country from which she was banished. Most of her time is spent now as it has been spent for more than forty years at Chislehurst and Farnborough Hill, in England. It was at Chislehurst that the Emperor died; and it was from there that her son Louis, Prince Imperial, went with the British army to Zululand, where he met his death at the hands of the savages. The Empress made periodical journeys to France up to the time of the present war, and spent many of her summers at Cape Martin. The yellow press of the United States has furnished its readers many accounts of the career of this famous woman—fabulous stories, chiefly, according to Edward Legge, who, in "The Empress Eugenie and Her Son," gives first-hand impressions of his subjects and of the events that brought tragedy into their lives. The author saw the downfall of the French capital and was present when the royal pair fled in different directions; he has been an intimate friend for years of the Empress and those with whom she has surrounded herself; and he is the author of two or three books dealing with the Franco-Prussian War and the events that followed it; so he is seemingly qualified to give us this intimate historical and biographical account. He opens his volume with the following pen picture of Eugenie:

"The little old lady—so very old—swathed in black of unfashionable cut, with no eyes for anything but her prayer book, follows the annual mass of requiem for her husband and her son at St. Michael's Abbey, Farnborough, with the assiduity of a young nun in her novitiate. And presently she toils down the staircase to the crypt, the imperial mausoleum, and glances up at the cavity in the wall behind the altar in which she will soon sleep the last sleep. A strange idea, perhaps, but she is original in all she does and all she says, as some day the world—the English world—will learn for itself. It has fallen to my lot to see her in all her hours of agony—the passing of the Emperor at Chislehurst, the slaughter of her son by the Zulu's assegais and his burial within sight of his Kentish home, and the removal of the two coffins from the little church in the lane to the glorious fabric which she built on the knoll among the pines and the rhododendrons, which she can gaze upon from her room. She landed at Ryde from Sir John Burgoyne's yacht in September, 1870, a fugitive — youthful-looking, sunny-faced, golden-haired, a paragon of beauty and grace—one (I suspect) of King Edward's 'three most beautiful women I have ever seen.'"

There have been stories to the effect that his mother's harshness toward him was one of the motives that drove the Prince Imperial to Zululand in 1879. Mr. Legge emphatically denies this, declaring that the pair were devoted to each other, and sets forth the causes that led to the death of the young Prince—he was but 23:

"The Prince Imperial's decision to go to the cape was brought about in the first place by his character. He was in the fullest sense of the word a Christian and French chevalier. A Napoleon, he loved glory, and from his earliest youth his taste led him to study military questions. The blood which he inherited from his mother, one of the ancient and illustrious race of the Guzmans, gave him the love of chivalry and heroic enterprises. As a child, nothing gave him greater delight than military reviews and his visits to the camp at Chalons, where he was in the midst of our army. As a youth he was in the thick of it in 1870, displaying his sangfroid and courage in the first engagement (that at Saarbrucken,) not a very considerable one, but having a successful result. He was the deeply-grieved witness of our first reverses, and his sorrows were increased by the defeats of our forces, his separation from his parents, and by exile."

As a young man, he studied the art of war in the principal artillery school in England. He witnessed with passionate admiration, and with bitterness at his powerlessness to imitate them, the debuts of his greatest friends in the ranks of the British army. He loved and sought out danger for himself, but he would never have exposed others to it, nor would he ever have abandoned any one. French, profoundly French, the Prince Imperial was deeply imbued with this truth—that the egotistical and sterile debates of Parliaments have never saved nations.

He felt that when the hour of supreme crisis arrived his energy would enable him to crush the revolutionary evil which, under the name of the republic, leads France to the tomb. He desired to conquer by a glorious deed of arms the renown necessary for him to command, one day, those who would have resolved to save the country at the risk of their lives. The base calumnies of revolutionary pamphlets and newspapers did not leave him indifferent to their effect. He felt himself superior to their venom, but he wished to acquire the incontestable glory of some heroic action to enable him the better to confound them.

He says further in writing of the same subject:

In her cabinet de travail at Farnborough Hill the statue of the Prince Imperial, by Carpeaux, dominates everything else. Elsewhere may be seen Cannon's posthumous portrait of the "little prince;" Protais has fixed the horror of the intrepid young hero's last moments by the Blood River; and near the fireplace, in a sort of library, at the foot of a large portrait of "Napoleon Quatre," there is always a wreath of roses or chrysanthemums, according to the season. The mother's thoughts are never absent from her son; he smiles upon her wherever she may be. In the great gallery — which leads to many rooms — the salon d'honneur, the salon des princesses, the salon des dames, and the salon de Greuze—are visible some of Winterhalter's triumphs: the Empress, seated, in red velvet, holding the infant Prince, in his white robes, brightened by the Grand Ordre Imperial; the Empress again, curiously coiffee, the profile hardly distinguishable, yet, on dit, her Majesty's favorite portrait of herself. Here, also may be seen and admired the same painter's portraits of those two beautiful women, the Duchesse d'Albe (the Empress's sister) and the Duchesse de Mouchy, nee Princess Murat, whom we must still venture to place quite in the forefront of the Empress's greatest friends, in which category was the regretted Mme. de Arcos. There are two other portraits of the Prince by Winterhalter and D'Yvon; a masterly fragment by Lefevre, showing the passing of the child from infancy to adolescence; and all the members of the "great" Emperor's family live, at Farnborough Hill, on the canvases of Gerard, Riesener and Le Fevre. At the entrance the "official" bust of Napoleon I faces that of Napoleon III.

Sarah Bernhardt gives the author an exceedingly interesting account of an episode that occurred in connection with a performance that she gave at the Tuileries in 1869 in honor of Sophie, Queen of Holland:

Arrived at the palace, Mlle. Bernhardt and Mme. Guerard (who were presently joined by that other brilliant actress, Mlle. Agar) waited in a small "yellow" salon, while Comte de Laferriere went in quest of the Emperor. Sarah began to practice her three ceremonious curtsies before Mme. Guerard. "Mon petit dame, tell me if this is correct," said the actress, who again curtsied, murmuring, with lowered eyes, "Sire—Sire." A stifled laugh was heard, and Sarah angrily turned, only to see her companion bowing to the ground. It was the Emperor, who, much amused at the little rehearsal of the curtsies, clapped his hands and laughed "discreetly." "I blushed and was confused. How long had he been there? I had 'plunged' I don't know how many times, saying to Guerard, 'That's too low! That's all right, isn't it?' Mon Dieu! Mon Dieu! Had he heard all that? And, despite my confusion, I was curtsying when the Emperor, smiling, said, 'It's useless. It will never be prettier than now. Reserve your curtsies for the Empress, who is waiting for you.'

"The Emperor walked by my side, speaking of a thousand things, to which I could only reply absently. I found him more agreeable to look at than his portraits. He had such fine eyes, half closed, which regarded you from under their very long lashes. His smile was sad and somewhat sly. His face was pale, and his voice low and fascinating. . . . The Empress was seated in a large arm-chair. A gray dress imprisoned her; she seemed to be moulded in the stuff. I though her pretty — prettier than the portraits made her. I made my three curtsies amidst the Emperor's smiles."

The Empress Eugenie's place at Chislehurst has, during all the years of her exile, been a rendezvous for French royalty—for those who have not yet entirely given up hope of seeing France a monarchy once more. "The Prince Who Lived at Bayswater" comes in for an entire chapter:

Prince Louis Lucien Bonaparte was a fairly frequent visitor at Chislehurst and at Farnborough Hill from the year of the arrival of the imperial family in England until his death, in Italy, in November, 1891. He was the son of Lucien Bonaparte, first Prince of Canino, a brother of Napoleon I, and even at 74 was a replica of his uncle, the great Emperor. Lucien, like his cousin Jerome (father of the Princes Victor and Louis,) was a little taller than his renowned uncle. Looking at him as he faced you in the library at his Bayswater residence, you might almost have imagined that it was the "Little Corporal" who stood before you; his frock coat was tightly buttoned, his hands were clasped behind his back. The Prince Imperial, often as he appeared at the West End, and less frequently in the city, passed unnoticed unless he chanced to be in the Pall Mall or St. James's street; but everybody turned to look at Prince Lucien as he strolled in the broad walk, or roamed through the West End in quest of books, or waited on the platform at Charing Cross or Waterloo for the train which was to take him to Chislehurst or Farnborough Hill.

Many will remember him, in a big arm-chair, in that great room at Norfolk Terrace, ever willing to talk about literature. Books everywhere, in their cases reaching to the ceiling—seven or eight rooms full of them; a miniature British museum library. Books in all languages—the majority works on scientific subjects; for Louis Lucien Bonaparte was savant to his finger tips. Concerning his own Herculean library productions he was very reticent; but, by persistent questioning, he could be induced to satisfy a visitor's curiosity.

In a chapter devoted to the routine life of the Empress reference is made to her churchly devotion:

Since Prince and Princess Napoleon have been the Empress's guests (1914-1916,) they have attended the Sunday morning service at the oratory, the former occupying the seat on Her Majesty's right. Ordinarily the congregation numbers from ten to twelve. Many are the moving scenes which have been enacted in the beautiful Abbey Church of St. Michael, which, with the surrounding lands, was the gift of the august widow of the Emperor Napoleon III to the community of Benedictine monks who succeeded the members of the Order of Premontre in what had been only a priory. But for simple pathos no previous ecclesiastical tableau there approached the spectacle witnessed by a privileged few on the 3rd of September, 1915, when, at the request of the Empress, the first mass was celebrated in the crypt "for all soldiers killed in the war."

Some of those who have knelt round the venerable lady remembered that September 3 is a "date" in the history of France, and did not forget, when offering their intercessions for the souls of "all soldiers killed in the war," that on this day in 1870 the captive Emperor reached Bouillon, on his way to his palatial "prison" at Wilhelmshohe, escorted by a Prussian general.

Those who have not seen the Empress of late were agreeably surprised at seeing her look so well. At least one—probably only one—could carry his thoughts back to that autumn day in 1870 when she arrived at Chislehurst after her flight from the Tuileries. The Empress followed the mass with her wonted close attention, kneeling and rising with no perceptible effort, and, when she left, bestowing her sad smile and bow seemingly to each one before whom she passed. She has been seen at St. Michael's oftener of late years than at previous periods. Since she instituted the monthly mass above noted (in September, 1915,) she has regularly attended the service, usually accompanied by Prince and Princess Napoleon and others staying with her.

M. Frederick Febvre, an old actor, has given Mr. Legge a story of Napoleon III which speaks well for that ruler's humanity:

The Emperor and Empress were often visited at Chislehurst by the celebrated actor, M. Frederic Febvre, who, at the time these lines are being penned (March, 1916) is still ex-vice-doyen of the Comedie Francaise. He was honored with the friendship of King Edward, who gave him a walking-stick, which the actor proudly displayed when he came to London. M. Febvre used to tell this story. While the Emperor was still at the Tuileries M. Got, the celebrated actor, obtained a private adulence of His Majesty, with the object of begging him to pardon a young man who had been sentenced to transportation for publishing a political pamphlet of exceptional violence. "How old is your protege?" asked the Emperor. "Twenty, sire." "Has he a mother?" "Yes, sir; she is overwhelmed with grief; the son was her sole support." "Has he any talent?" "Yes, sire—an abundance of talent." "What a pity it is," said the Emperor, "that he did not exercise it to write a fine play, or a fine book! A pamphlet attacking me will be valueless at my death, but a fine literary work lasts forever. I am certain that M. Hugo's admirable plays will last longer than the 'Chatiments.'" M. Got had drawn up, on behalf of the culprit's mother, a petition, which he handed to His Majesty, who, after carefully perusing it, said: "Wait a moment, sir, and I will give you a letter to take to the Ministry of Marine. You must ask to see the Minister himself. You will naturally be told that the Minister cannot see you, but, perhaps, if you say that I sent you, he will receive you." The actor, having warmly thanked His Majesty, was retiring, when the Emperor, in the most kindly manner, exclaimed, "But don't let him do it again!" Got duly handed the Emperor's letter to the Minister, who read it with the greatest surprise. Having consulted the heads of various departments, he turned to his visitor with the remark, "It is done, Monsieur Got. The Emperor's orders have been carried out." The actor ventured to inquire what the letter had contained. "What!" answered the Minister, "did not His Majesty tell you?" "Not a word." Got then learned, for the first time, that the Emperor had given orders for the prisoner's immediate release, and had added that, if the ship conveying the young pamphleteer had already sailed, another vessel was to be sent for the purpose of bringing him back safe and sound. "Thus," says M. Febve, in telling the story, "everything was done in accordance with the Emperor's orders. I may add—and it is not unimportant—that our 'doyen,' Got, was an Orleanist!"

It is hard to imagine an Empress owner of a newspaper. But the fact is that for a short period Eugenie owned a London weekly, the Lantern, and that Ambrose Bierce, the pioneer San Francisco journalist, who became famous as an essayist and fictionist, was its editor. The episode was brought about by a curious combination of circumstances. Eugenie's old enemy, Henri Rochefort, escaped from the penal colony of New Caledonia in 1874, and announced his intention of reviving, in London, his bitter journal, La Lanterne. The Empress, it is said, "was prostrated by fear of his pitiless rancour." So she forestalled him. Clement Shorter is thus quoted by Mr. Legge:

"It would seem that James Mortimer, who afterward founded and edited the (weekly) Figaro, was in the habit of visiting the Empress Eugenie at Chiselhurst. He found the Empress worried at the threat of M. Henri Rochefort that he would start his paper, the Lanterne, in London. Mortimer suggested the foundation and registering of such a paper here, and the Lantern duly appeared in May, 1874. It was a twelve-page paper, with four pages of superb illustrations in six colors. It was sold at sixpence. Bierce tells us that he wrote the whole paper, and gives extracts from his articles. A second issue appeared in July, and then the journal stopped. It had done its work. Rochefort found that his title was impossible of use in this country. This picture of an Empress as a newspaper proprietor has its romantic side."

And here is the Empress more than forty-eight years later—an old woman, bowed by tragedy—revisiting some of the scenes of her younger and happier days:

On the 19th of July, 1914, the Empress visited the Chateau of Fontainebleau, which she had not seen for forty-four years. Accompanied by one of her nieces, Comte Joseph Primoli, and Comte Walewsky, Her Majesty (said the Echo de Paris) presented herself at the gate of what was formerly one of the imperial residences and gave her name to the brigadier, who went to inform the curator of the building of the august visit. M. d'Esparbes, who is not for nothing a delicate poet, realized to the full the tragic pathos of the circumstance. Silent and bareheaded he ascended the great horseshoe staircase with the imperial figure in deep mourning at his side. Not a word was said on either side till the apartments of Louis XIII were reached. Then the Empress suddenly broke the memory-laden silence: "Ah, there is my box," she said, touching lovingly an ivory coffer. "But the legend of the palace," said M. d'Esparbes gently, "has it that this coffer belonged to Anne of Austria." "True, true," replied the Empress; "but at my marriage the Emperor presented it to me with a gift of gloves and fans."

The Empress remarked that the splendid "Diana" of Benvenuto was no longer in its place. "What has become of it?" she asked, and M. d'Esparbes replied: "Alas, it is now in the Louvre." "I think they might restore it to its original setting," said the Empress gently. Looking out through an open window on the gardens in the full glories of the summer, "How beautiful they are," she exclaimed, as if to herself. At another window, commanding the Etang des Carpes, she stopped, and, after a moment's silence, said: "My gondola is gone." The Empress lingered long in the Chinese museum—her own work—tracing the history of different curios. "The Emperor," she said, "used to make me every year a present of Chinese curios. My presents to him were suits of armor." Then she left the chateau for the gardens, where she sat down for a few minutes looking out over the Etang des Carpes. "Not that I am tired," she said, "but to have leisure to recollect." Here she was joined by Mme. Gillois, an old personal friend of the Empress, and one of the reigning beauties of the Court of Fontainebleau. They talked for a few minutes of old times. As Mme. Gillois withdrew, the Empress turned to M. d'Espardes and said: "Dear Mme. Gillois. She brings back the past. She was then slim and graceful, with a waist that two hands could span." A few children and women, who had heard of the imperial visit, gathered at the palace gates. As the Empress passed she caressed with her hand the forehead of a boy, and, for the first time during this pilgrimage of memory, her eyes filled. Then, alert, showing no signs of fatigue, though for three hours she had walked among the shadows of the past, she got into her car.

Prosperity.

AMERICAN WAGES HIGHEST IN ALL WORLD'S HISTORY.

Nearly Billion Dollars Added to Manufacturing Industries Pay Rolls Since Close Last Year—Not Only are Skilled Mechanics Benefited, but Many in the Public Lines Receive Increased Incomes.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 31.—Wages in the United States increased 10 per cent. during 1916, over those of 1915. They now stand at the highest level in the history of this country or the world. In the manufacturing industries the average wage increase may exceed 10 per cent. and range between 12 and 15 per cent.

In the closing days of 1916, salary and wage increases to the amount of more than $300,000,000 went into effect. They were distributed among 5,750,000 salaried employees and wage-earners and they came in various forms—as straight-out raises in pay, as bonuses, insurance benefits and profit-sharings.

The general tendency toward an advancement of wages, due to the higher cost of living and the country-wide prosperity, has led the Department of Labor to start compiling a table of the changes affecting the industrial army of wage-earners which in the United States now numbers more than 20,000,000. The reports so far indicate that in manufactures alone, the volume of wages paid was more than $1,800,000,000 in excess of the amount in 1910, at the time of the last census.

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The table of the wage volue in the manufacturing industries, compiled by the Department of Labor, indicates the great bound taken during 1916. One thing it shows is this: During 1916 alone the total pay roll increase in manufactures was some $50,000,000 larger than the increase during the entire preceding five years, 1910-15.

The figures follow:

Year.	Wage earners man. industries.	Total wages.
1916	8,500,000	$5,320,000,000
1915	7,800,000	4,400,000,000
1914	7,100,000	4,000,000,000
1913	7,000,000	3,880,000,000
1912	6,900,000	3,700,000,000
1911	6,800,000	3,640,000,000
1910	6,700,000	3,480,000,000
1909	6,600,000	3,400,000,000

United States steel in the closing months of the year announced an increase of 10 per cent. in the wages of its steel and iron companies. The increase affects about 260,000 employees and adds about $30,000,000 to the corporations pay roll. It took effect December 15 and was the third "raise" during 1916. On May 1 the corporation gave its workers an increase of 10 per cent. and on February 1 a raise of the same amount was announced. For the year the salary and wage increases given by the United States steel corporation, together with bonuses and stock distributions, aggregated about $35,000,000.

Among the large concerns which granted general increases during December, most of them on the basis of a 10 per cent. raise, were the Western Union Telegraph Company, the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, some of the Standard Oil companies, Bethlehem Steel, the American Woolen Company, the Westinghouse Electric Company and the General Electric Company.

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	Workers affected.	Annual in
U. S. Steel	260,000	[illegible]
American Clothing Mfrs. Assn.	32,000	[illegible]
Pittsburgh Glass Blowers	8,000	[illegible]
Lake Superior Copper Miners.	25,000	[illegible]
Bell Telephone Company		[illegible]
New Bedford Cotton Workers.	30,000	[illegible]
American Tel. and Tel. Co. ..		[illegible]
Wells Fargo Express Co. ..	8,000	[illegible]
Stove and Furnace Molders..	15,000	[illegible]

One of the largest advances was that of the employees of the American Clothing Manufacturers' Association, whose raise of pay, beginning December 18, amounted to between 35 and 40 per cent. In the coke region of Pennsylvania 40,000 workers were given three raises during the year by the Frick Coke Company, the last being 10 per cent. The railroad and mercantile houses gave employees a share in increased profits. A Christmas bonus equivalent to one month's salary was a common story.

The Union Pacific Railroad system gave a Christmas bonus of one month's salary to all employees who receive less than $1800 a year, and adopted a life, accident and health insurance system that goes into effect on New Year's Day.

Fertile.

ARGENTINA'S PAMPAS.

Over Two Hundred Thousand Square Miles Splendidly Adapted for Growing Wheat and Corn for the Rest of the World.

[El Paso Herald:] With Russia's and Rumania's wheat crops cut off from the rest of the world by the Dardanelles, with Canada's and Australia's cereal output "spoken for" by England's armies, and with America's product commanding record prices, the eyes of empires turn toward Argentina, which ranks sixth among the wheat-growing countries of the world. Bailey Willis, in a communication to the National Geographic Society, tells of the vast agricultural wealth of this country. The society has issued a part of Mr. Willis's articles as the following bulletin:

"The soil and the climate of the pampas, which cover an area of 200,000 square miles, give the Argentine republic its high rank among the wheat and corn growing countries of the world. The soil is an ancient alluvium, the fine sediment carried by old rivers far out from the mountains, like the deposit now being made by the Paraguay and its tributaries, an island delta in the interior of the continent. The sediment is very fine, and mingled with it is a large proportion of fine volcanic dust blown from the volcanoes of the Andes. Like the renowned loess soils of China, it is exceedingly fertile and, being very porous, absorbs the rain waters, which rise again by evaporation and supply the surface soil constantly with plant food.

The pampas are a vast grassy plain. Is there anything more to be said? As an Englishman put it, "What can you say about a bally billiard table except that it is a bally billard table?" Let the plain of the pampas is not like the great western plains of the United States. The latter are broken by gullies, furrowed by streams, traversed by river valleys. The pampas are not.

"Among all the landscapes of the world there is none more meadow-like than the flat pampa, with the cattle grazing in the rich grass, but the meadowgrass hides no meandering brook. Hour after hour and day after day you may ride without crossing a stream. You will, however, encounter many shallow pools and lakelets.

"The pampa looks so flat, so featureless! But is it? Watch a horseman galloping away to the horizon, toward which he rises silhouetted against the sky. Soon he sinks and drops out of sight, having apparently ridden over the edge of the world, but an hour later he may rise again, topping a more distant swell of the vast grassy ocean surface. North, east, south and west it is the same—a billowy plain, hallowed and molded by the wind, the free-flowing air, which in place of running water has sculptured the immense expanse of fine brown earth.

"In former days it mattered nothing to the world at large and comparatively little to the Argentine himself whether the season was a favorable one for wheat or not, but now, when millions beyond her confines look to Argentina for bread and when Argentine prosperity is regulated by the wheat she sells, it matters much.

"The time will come, probably, when plentiful rains or drought will matter less than now; for at present agriculture in Argentina is in that elementary state when it is most exposed to injury by the vicissitudes of climate. Great fields are cultivated by few hands. The poorly prepared soil, the shallow plowing, the neglect of cultivation, all invite losses in any but a favorable year. In the east rainfall usually is abundant or excessive. There are areas of Buenos Aires province which are inundated by heavy rains, and great drainage works have been undertaken by the government at the instance of the landowners. From east to west the rainfall diminishes till it becomes insufficient for agriculture in the average year, and farming can prosper only where irrigation is practicable.

"Thus the pampas, of which we may think as a monotonous plain, exhibits great diversity of aspect. Portions of them may be flooded while other distant regions of the same plain are drying up. Portions are suited to the growing of wheat, others to cattle raising, and still others in the warmer, rainy zone about Rosario are adapted best to the raising of Indian corn.

"To gain an idea of the extent of the fertile pampa region, one need but look at a railway map of Argentina. Buenos Aires and Rosario are the two ports of shipment of its product, the centers from which traffic radiates to all sections of the country. English and other capital has been expended to the amount of a billion dollars in building railways to develop rich lands, but in the more arid and less profitable country the lines have been extended only as trunk lines, aimed to reach some distant point. The pampas are the hub of the Argentine wheel of fortune, of which Buenos Aires, the Argentine El Dorado, is the center.

"The area of the pampas is one-sixth of the country. In the larger part which lies beyond the pampas, the other five-sixths, there is a great extent of lands destined to pastoral pursuits; there are some real desert areas; and there are also districts of great natural resources, which are either actual or potential contributors to the natural wealth.

"The pampas are a paradise for cattle in the average year when the rain fills the lakelets and the pasture, whether freshly green or cured to natural hay, affords abundant feed. Occasionally a dry season intervenes; the water pools dry up, the plain becomes a waterless desert. Formerly in such years disaster overcame the herdsman and his herds. Lingering by the shrinking pools, hundreds of thousands of cattle and sheep suffered from thirst and famine till they fell and mummified in the dust. It is somewhat different now. The seasons still vary inexorably, and from time to time comes one of drought and loss; but it has lost its grayest menace. Scattered over the pampa, wherever they may be wanted, are windmills, and beside each mill is a tank and drinking trough. The wind which sculptured the hollows of the plain that a very large proportion of the rainfall sinks into it now pumps the supply back to the herds which otherwise might perish stamping the dust just above the subterranean waters."

HE IS JUST JOHN.

Politeness Gave Him a Start, but All Wall Street Knows Him.

[Commerce and Finance:] Everybody in Wall street knows John. Everybody likes him because he is a character, distinctive, picturesque, lovable. He radiates good nature. A person who meets him once never forgets him.

For forty years he has been in Wall street. When J. P. Morgan had anything in John's line to "put out he would tell a clerk to "send for John." Possibly he knew John's surname. Possibly he didn't.

It is the same in many big banking establishments.

Long ago—as long ago as 1873, a tired, worried business man climbed into a crowded Broadway stage. A tired, but bright-faced boy jumped up and offered the man his seat.

"What's your name?" the man asked.

"John," the boy replied.

The man learned that the boy who was poorly dressed, had been searching the city over for days for a job. The man gave his address to the boy and asked the lad to call and see him the next day.

The man was Albert Frank, who then had an advertising office in a small room. The boy went to work for him. Albert Frank is dead, but the business he established has grown to be one of the biggest in its line in America if not in the world.

And John has grown with it. He signs his name John Schwarting. But to Wall street he always will be John.

Long Beach.

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Church People do not W[...] it in the Schools.

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Members of the School Bo[ard] Favor Elimination.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

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Because of this continued c[riti]cism on the part of a number [of] church people, several members [of] the board are said to be in f[avor] of changing this phase of phy[sical] training in the schools, although children are in no way compelled [or] obligated to take part in the dancing that is a feature each [year] of the May festival.

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ALBATROSS ON DRY DOCK

To carry on the work of becom[ing] more intimate with the habits of albacore, the "chicken of the [sea,"] the U.S.S. Bijou has been secured [to] take the place of the Albatross craft which has been gathering [sci]entific data for the government [for] the past nine months under the [su]pervision of the United States [Bu]reau of Fisheries. The Albat[ross] will go on dry dock next month [for] repairs and overhauling and the [in]stallation of additional equipm[ent.] The Bijou is a fifty-foot lau[nch] equipped to carry on the governm[ent] investigations, which are expe[cted] to disclose secrets of great valu[e to] many Southern California pac[king] concerns when a report is m[ade] bearing upon the haunts and ha[bits] of the toothsome albacore here [in] February.

Geographical.

WEALTH DISTRIBUTE[D]

Comptroller Learns This Cou[ntry's] One Hundred Largest Bank[s] are in Twenty-two State[s] and Thirty-three Cities. Marks a Change.

Some interesting figures are g[iven] by Comptroller of the Curr[ency] Williams in respect to the las[t] call. He finds a healthy distribu[tion] of the wealth and banking resou[rces] of the United States, which [has] been brought about, he says, u[nder] the Federal reserve system, an[d is] being manifested in many ways.

"Formerly the 100 largest nat[ion]al banks in the United States [were] congested principally in a comp[ara]tively few financial centers. T[oday] the big banks are distrib[uted] through twenty-two States and thirty-three cities, embracing e[very] section of the country.

"The 100 national banks with largest resources, as shown by call of November 17, 1916, all h[ave] resources in excess of $20,000,[000,] with one exception, the excep[tion] being one of the Chicago banks.

"Oklahoma, Alabama, Louisi[ana,] Virginia, Washington, New Je[rsey] and Oregon each contain one [of the] 100 largest banks. Texas, Nebra[ska,] Maryland, Michigan, Indiana [and] Wisconsin each contain two [of] these banks. Colorado has th[ree;] Ohio, Minnesota and Massachu[setts] each have five. California and [Illi]nois have seven each. Missouri eight. Pennsylvania has sixteen New York State has twenty-five.

Between September 12 and [No]vember 17, 1916, the resource[s of] the 100 largest banks increa[sed] $550,000,000, or nearly 9 per ce[nt.]

Supremacy.

EXPORTS GROWING.

Value of Goods Sent from Cou[ntry] in November Three Times Th[at] of Imports, Giving Third of a Billion as Trade Balance for Month.

With a total export trade of $5[...] 000,000 for November, the Un[ited] States made a new high record. [Im]ports were $177,000,000, leavin[g a] favorable balance of $340,900,[000.] This balance was only exceeded [in] September, which showed an ex[port] excess of $350,968,794. During S[ep]tember exports approached wi[thin] $2,892,592 of the November expo[rts,] but the September imports [...] amounted to $164,038,614, or $[...] 961,386 less than November.

1916:	Exports.	Imports.	Excess
Nov. ..	$517,900,000	$177,000,000	$340,90[...]
Oct. ..	490,612,290	176,428,907	314,18[...]
Sept. ..	515,007,408	164,038,614	350,96[...]
Aug. ..	510,167,438	199,316,480	310,85[...]
July ..	444,716,964	182,722,938	261,99[...]
June ..	464,685,954	245,795,438	218,89[...]
May ..	474,808,697	229,188,957	245,61[...]
April ..	398,548,532	218,236,997	180,31[...]
March ..	410,742,084	213,589,785	197,15[...]
Feb. ..	401,783,974	193,935,117	207,84[...]
Jan. ..	330,036,410	184,350,942	145,68[...]
1915:			
Dec. ..	359,301,274	171,841,665	187,45[...]
Nov. ..	327,670,413	155,496,673	172,17[...]
Tt'l	$5,645,952,320	$2,511,936,965	$3,134,06[...]

The substantial gain in exports [is] emphasized by comparison with [last] year. In November, 1916, value [of] exports was three times the va[lue] of imports, while in November, 19[15,] exports were only double the [im]ports.

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Although no definite action has been taken as yet toward striking the dances from the curriculum, it is understood that the majority of the members of the Board of Education are of the opinion that for the sake of peace and harmony and the desire to end the controversy over the subject it would be for the best to make a change.

ALBATROSS ON DRY DOCK.

To carry on the work of becoming more intimate with the habits of the albacore, the "chicken of the sea," the U.S.S. Bijou has been secured to take the place of the Albatross, a craft which has been gathering scientific data for the government for the past nine months under the supervision of the United States Bureau of Fisheries. The Albatross will go on dry dock next month for repairs and overhauling and the installation of additional equipment. The Bijou is a fifty-foot launch, designed to carry on the government operations, which are expected to disclose secrets of great value to the Southern California packing industries when a report is made, bearing upon the haunts and habits of the toothsome albacore here next February.

Geographical.

WEALTH DISTRIBUTED.

Statistician Learns This Country's One Hundred Largest Banks Are in Twenty-two States and Thirty-three Cities. Marks a Change.

Some interesting figures are given by Comptroller of the Currency Williams in respect to the last bank call. He finds a healthy distribution of the wealth and banking resources of the United States, which has been brought about, he says, under the Federal reserve system, and is being manifested in many ways.

"Formerly the 100 largest national banks in the United States were organized principally in a comparatively few financial centers. Today the big banks are distributed through twenty-two States and in thirty-three cities, embracing every section of the country.

"The 100 national banks with the largest resources, as shown by the call of November 17, 1916, all have resources in excess of $20,000,000, with one exception, the exception being one of the Chicago banks.

"Oklahoma, Alabama, Louisiana, Virginia, Washington, New Jersey and Oregon each contain one of the largest banks, Texas, Nebraska, Maryland, Michigan, Indiana and Wisconsin each contain two of the banks. Colorado has three, Ohio, Minnesota and Massachusetts each have five, California and Illinois have seven each. Missouri has four, Pennsylvania has sixteen and New York State has twenty-five.

"Between September 12 and November 17, 1916, the resources of the 100 largest banks increased $125,000,000, or nearly 9 per cent."

Supremacy.

EXPORTS GROWING.

Value of Goods Sent from Country in November Three Times That of Imports, Giving Third of a Billion as Trade Balance for Month.

With a total export trade of $317,-500,000 for November, the United States made a new high record. Imports were $177,000,000, leaving a favorable balance of $340,900,000. This balance was only exceeded by September, which showed an export excess of $350,968,794. During September exports approached within $2,892,593 of the November exports, but the September imports only amounted to $164,035,614, or $12,-961,386 less than November.

	Exports.	Imports.	Excess exp.
Nov.	$317,900,000	$177,000,000	$340,900,000
Oct.	315,007,407	176,429,807	314,186,283
Sept.	313,007,408	164,035,614	350,968,794
Aug.	444,716,054	195,310,480	310,850,053
July	484,890,554	192,722,934	291,984,276
June	459,890,554	243,795,438	216,900,516
May	469,508,522	224,198,957	245,614,080
April	410,742,084	229,250,207	180,822,159
March	401,742,084	213,590,795	197,153,249
Feb.	401,742,974	194,565,117	207,648,857
Jan.	380,086,410	184,350,942	145,685,408
Dec.	329,301,274	171,841,603	187,459,609
Nov.	327,976,413	155,490,675	172,173,738
Totals	$5,648,902,230	$2,511,936,945	$3,134,961,415

The substantial gain in exports is emphasized by comparison with last year. In November, 1916, value of exports was three times the value of imports, while in November, 1915, exports were only double the imports.

MUTT & JEFF—Mutt's Friend Certainly Had a New Year's Grouch. . . . By BUD FISHER.

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Venice.

GREET NEW YEAR.

Big Crowd at Beach Resort Goes Wild Over Arrival of Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen. Horns Tooted and Medley Reigns.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, Jan. 1.—A tangled mass of humanity, tooting horns, manipulating every variety of noise-maker, and honking auto horns, greeted the new year of 1917 with a medley of noise and confusion. The streets and piers were jammed with a throng that arrived early in the evening and stayed long enough to complete the celebration in the new year. The midnight scene here was one of jollity and confusion; everybody seemed to be anxious to join in the making of noise and in the swan song of the old year, from the regular Venice band to a lively corps of old soldiers who played the fife and drum.

When midnight came the Speedway, main artery of auto traffic, was jammed, and the honking of horns could be heard for some distance. On the ocean front, on the piers and in the dance pavilions the tangled skein of serpentine, the confetti battles and the use of improvised noise-makers brought the various persons of the vast throng together in one big celebration. The insistent cry of horn venders, confetti sellers and the peanut merchant could not be heard above the din that broke out on the dot of midnight.

After midnight the crowd again thronged the cafes, and the spirit of Latin freedom, the carnival idea, reigned until early in the morning, when a long line of autos stretched out toward Los Angeles and other points—weary, hoarse and ready for a good long sleep.

MONROVIA BANKS PAY BIG DIVIDENDS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MONROVIA, Dec. 31.—Depositors and stockholders of local banks will receive New Year's present tomorrow, totaling $18,000, as dividends from the second semiannual payments on deposits and stocks. The First National pays $4000 to its stockholders. The Granite Savings Bank pays $2800 and the Monrovia Savings $2000. The latter bank will distribute $9000 to its depositors and the Granite, $750 to its stockholders. The Monrovia Savings Bank, which will shortly complete its thirteenth year, has paid over $146,000 in interest to its depositors.

Porterville.

WHEAT MONEY.

Regardless of the Reduction in Acreage Tulare County Received Twenty-five Per cent. More in Dollars for its Wheat.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 31.—Records which have been compiled from grain warehouses in this district show that to date there has been shipped from the Porterville section a total of 192,000 bags of wheat, of a value to the growers of $496,255. Despite a considerable decrease in acreage, this is an increase of more than 25 per cent. in net returns over that of last year.

This year there has been a large increase in acreage sown to wheat, and grain farmers declare that due to the early rains in October, sowing was done under conditions which are practically ideal for a big crop. The acreage in grain this year, under normal conditions, should produce at least 300,000 bags.

VISALIA CHIEF AGAINST SHAKING OF DICE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Dec. 31.—C. E. Rowland, head of the police department of Visalia, has served formal notice on owners of cigar stands that effective on the first of the year enforcement will be made of the city ordinances against dice and all other games of chance. Card games in public places will also be put under the ban.

Rowland is quoted as saying that some time ago he told the City Council he intended to enforce the laws against such amusements and that he had been "called off." "The law is on the ordinance book," said Rowland. "I will enforce it to the letter. If the Council wants to permit dice shaking and card playing, let them repeal the ordinance against such amusements."

SCRATCH ON FOREHEAD CAUSES POISONING.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

DINUBA, Dec. 31.—W. J. Crowe is seriously ill as the result of blood poisoning from a scratch on his forehead. Crowe was a passenger on a Southern Pacific train early in the week and a suit case fell from a rack and inflicted a slight wound. Infection set in and his condition is said by his physicians to be alarming.

Disbursement.

DIVIDEND FOR OWL.

Drug Company, Reporting the Best Year's Business in its Whole History, Makes Eight Per Cent. Distribution to its Stockholders.

The regular twentieth semiannual 8 per cent. dividend on its preferred cumulative stock was declared by the Owl Drug Company yesterday.

This semiannual dividend will be distributed to the 900 holders of preferred stock, most of whom are residents of the Pacific Coast States.

For the year just ended the gross and net earnings are the largest in the company's history. The Christmas business was far in excess of that in any previous year.

Two new stores have been opened during the past few months, and another will be opened in Stockton early in January. The company will then be operating twenty-four stores in twelve cities.

The volume of business for the year totaled approximately $5,000,000.

The heads of the company state that the outlook for 1917 is remarkably good.

OIL WELL REPORT.

According to reports made by operators to the California State Mining Bureau for the week ended December 23, there were twenty-seven new wells started, making a total of 744 since the first of last year. There were twenty-one wells reported ready for test of water shutoff, eleven to deepen or redrill and ten abandonments.

Los Angeles Harbor.

CANNED WHALE.

Experiment to be Made in Putting Up the "Venison of the Sea" for Those Who Like the Meat—It is a New Delicacy on Market.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Dec. 31.—"Venison of the Sea" is the name chosen for a new canned product soon to be placed on the market, as the result of the whaling industry developed in Southern California by Capt. J. D. Loop of Long Beach.

Arrangements have been made to can part of a sixty-foot whale brought into port today, and then cut up and placed in cold storage. Part will be canned and part sold as fresh meat.

Whale steak is a new delicacy that many who have tried compare favorably with venison. It resembles it in texture and color, but has a flavor all its own.

Capt. Loop is preparing to embark in the whale-hunting business on a larger scale. He has recently sent to Norway for additional equipment, and has also ordered a Greenler whaling gun from England.

In addition to the canned product, the blubber will be refined and the oil and whalebones sold. Even the refuse will be disposed of to a fertilizer factory, so that nothing will be lost but the spouting.

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End of Two Years.

FAIR CLOSING DRAWS MANY TO SAN DIEGO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 31.—Thousands of visitors have arrived here from practically every Western State to join the city of San Diego in celebrating the passing of the Panama-California International Exposition tomorrow. A record attendance is expected, and for their entertainment an extensive programme of events, including a sham battle, army and navy parade, and fireworks will be crowded into the hours between 10 a.m. and midnight.

The exposition, which has continued for two years, will pass into history at midnight tomorrow with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" by Mme. Schumann-Heink. The famous singer will be presented with a jeweled medal by President G. A. Davidson of the exposition.

The formal ceremonies marking the close of the exposition will take place at 11:30 p.m. at the great outdoor organ. Among the speakers will be Lieut.-Gov. William D. Stephens of California; Mayor James Rolph, Jr., of San Francisco; Mayor William Woodman of Los Angeles and R. B. Hale, representing the Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

Resolutions adopted today by the board of directors of the exposition, and signed by President Davidson, Mayor Edwin Capps and civic organizations, express thanks to the State of California, and particularly to the southern counties, for aid and co-operation given during the year, which made possible the continuance of the exposition for the two-year period.

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Monrovia.

BRANDS RACE MIXTURE FUNDAMENTAL BLUNDER.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MONROVIA, Dec. 31.—Montaville Flowers, publicist, lecturer and author of the "Japanese Conquest of American Opinion," has just arrived at his home here after having completed a lecture tour of 280 lectures during the past year. As guest of honor at the annual banquet of the Granite Club last night, Mr. Flowers spoke on the Japanese immigration question. He said:

"Our peace, our prosperity, the length of time we shall endure as a nation depends upon the oneness of the American people. Already we have in our country great groups of unassimilated foreigners with un-Americanized foreign thought. Already we have the unsolved problem of the black race. But great as these problems are, our difficulties are inconsiderable compared to what our people problem will be when we add to our present races the brown and yellow races of Asia."

"The greatest problem which this generation must solve," declares Mr. Flowers, "and which is being forced upon us daily, is this: Shall the United States make the fundamental blunder of further race mixture, to be followed by inevitable race conflict? There are many Americans who are now advocating that we take this course, that we change our national policy and take into our country and into our racial blood all the nations of Asia on equal terms with the white nations of Europe. This would be the most fatal and irretrievable blunder of our generation."

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[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 31.—Under extremely disagreeable conditions the San Francisco soccer team today strengthened its claim on the inter-city soccer title of California. The Los Angeles team, Saturday winners over a Sacramento eleven, found the San Francisco boys not only too fast, but too skillful contenders and they were forced to see the game slip and slide from them by a 7 to 2 score.

AWFUL.

Miserable hardly describes the conditions under which the game was played. The grounds were filled with puddles, and where lacking the charm of a duck pond were as smooth as the flavor of the nineteenth drink. Rain drizzled throughout three-quarters of the game, while a cold wind added the necessary zing to the half-frozen drops.

The San Francisco eleven is easily the best of the all-star teams and it demonstrated its superiority over the southern players with as much or more margin that they did over the Sacramento men. The last half of the final period found San Francisco driving away at the Los Angeles goal with a determination that put Goal Keeper Milford to a severe test. How he survived that test is best seen when it is related that even such reliable witnesses of the game as Referee Lemon and Bobby Ewen were utterly unable to tell the number of shots that he had saved.

AN EXPERT.

Another player of the southern squad is entitled to some space. He is Archie Brown, moved from fullback to right half for the game today. Again he showed that it was not a freak of brilliancy that he displayed in the Sacramento game, for today his work was the feature of both back fields. Quick, agile and clever in every way, this lad Brown has greatly impressed the northern fans. Elliott, moved to outside right for the day, did not show the same class of play that marked him in the Sacramento game, when he occupied the center forward position.

San Francisco's forward line moved in fine shape, Teed, M. Hudson, Hay, Kempton and Grant all showing to good advantage. Thorpe was in evidence at center, while Patterson mixed with the ball frequently.

Teed scored the first goal on a penalty kick and almost before Los Angeles could gain its composure the same man headed the ball in for the second point from a corner kick. A scrimmage in front of goal enabled Hudson to execute a goal under real comedy conditions. Teed entwined himself about Milford, the Angels' goal keeper, and while the two were partaking of sawdust and mud, Sinclair gently doubled up and fell on the two. It was then that Hudson scored.

Billy Hay booted another in when Milford dropped a shot that Hudson himself had sent in. The half ended with the score 5 to 1.

After ten minutes of wet play in the final half Los Angeles secured a penalty kick. Shepherd kicked the goal. M. Hudson made his second goal by following another fumble of Milford's, and Grant ended the scoring by a short single, making the tally 7 to 2. The line-ups:

San Francisco.	Goal	Los Angeles.
Wille		Milford
Patterson	Left back	Allen
Elliott	Right back	Sinclair
Hay	Left half	Miller
Thorpe	Center half	Smith
Kempton	Right half	A. Berry
Sinclair	Outside left	Shepherd
Grant	Inside left	M. Berry
M. Hudson	Center forward	Low
Teed	Inside right	Mitchell
Wall	Outside right	Elliott

Goals: By San Francisco—Penalty goal, Teed; goal mark, Teed; 2; M. Hudson, 2; Hay, Grant. By Angels—1 penalty goal, A. Berry.

Score by halves:	1	2	Tl.
San Francisco	5	2	7
Los Angeles	1	1	2

Referee—J. Young, Sacramento. Time of halves—35 min.

LITTLE BETTING ON BIG BATTLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 31.—There is very little betting in Portland on the game tomorrow between the University of Pennsylvania and the University of Oregon at Pasadena. Odds favor Pennsylvania.

The sentiment around the Multnomah Club is that the score will be very close. There is no betting being done at the University Club. Sid Bruun of Seattle, who left for home Friday, said he had Pennsylvania money to bet at even terms, but placed very little of it.

GLEICHMANN IS LIABLE TO MOVE.

Rumors that Gleichmann may be traded to Portland for Denny Wille, an outfielder, were heard along Spring street yesterday. It could not be confirmed. If such a deal is brewing it would seem to indicate that plans are being made to provide space for George Stovall at first base on the Vernon club.

TEXAS FOOTBALL TEAM ON DECK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CORPUS CHRISTI (Tex.) Dec. 31.—The Second Texas Infantry football team will play the Seventy-fourth New York Infantry eleven here on Monday afternoon. Texas will send into the game the line-up which has not been scored upon this season.

MEETING ANNOUNCED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JOHNSTOWN (Pa.) Dec. 31.—The annual meeting of the National Baseball Federation, an organization of amateur clubs, will be held January 19 in Toledo, O., according to announcement by the secretary today.

BILLIARDIST DIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—J. Ferdinand Pogrenberg, who several times held the American amateur billiard championship, died at his home in this city today. He was born in New York in 1865.

ALL THE DOPE ON THE GAME.

The Oregon and Pennsylvania football game will be played this afternoon at Tournament Park. The game is scheduled to begin promptly at 2:15 o'clock. The park can be reached by the Pasadena via Oak Knoll Pacific Electric car. Automobiles wishing to go to the park should turn off Fair Oaks and go east on California street.

Seats for the game can only be secured today at the main gate to the park and range in price from 50 cents to $2.50.

Trouble.

HEN BERRY HAS A NEAT PEEVE.

IS OPPOSED TO STAND TAKEN BY REPRESENTATIVES.

"Why," Shouts Hen, "Did They Go East to Boost the Draft Elimination Rule if They Didn't Believe in It?"—Baum and Ewing are Rather Noncommital.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 31.—Henry Berry, starter of trouble and father of the draft elimination idea on the Pacific Coast, is dead opposed to the stand taken on this same problem by President Allan T. Baum and J. Carroll Ewing of the Oakland club when they were recently in New York and Chicago in conference with the major leaguers.

Hen has read the interviews given out by both baseball men. He saw where Cal Ewing remarked that the draft elimination never had a chance and that Ewing did not approve of such a drastic measure.

Prexy Baum, who returned late Saturday and was interviewed, gave out much the same sort of a story. All of which has stirred the inner soul of W. Henry.

"Why," he shouted, "did they go East on such a mission if they didn't believe in it? What's the use of accepting a position on a committee to make a certain requirement when you are not willing to back it up. If I'd been there they'd have had a fight on their hands. At least I would have had a compromise.

"Personally, I believe in the complete elimination of the draft so far as Class AA clubs are concerned."

VERNON FIGHTS TO BE HIGH CLASS.

Battling Rudy, the well-known swat artist, has been lined up by Matchmaker Wadhams against Stewart Donnellay for the headline bout at Doyle's Tuesday. Donnellay is a new boy in these parts but is expected to show considerable class and should give Rudy quite a time.

A few weeks ago Rudy was licked to within an inch of his life by young Miller, but a bum decision gave the battler a draw. Since then Rudy has been doing considerable winning. Fans are wondering what will happen to the young man tomorrow night.

The card follows.

Steve Dalton vs. Puggy Morton, 125 pounds.

Young Brown vs. Fred McManus, 122 pounds.

Kid Smiley vs. Jimmy Lastro, 135 pounds.

Harry Atwood vs. Joe Flynn, 125 pounds.

Heinie Boos vs. Ralph Lincoln, 125 pounds

WHY NEW YEAR'S CROWD HAS IT ON THEM ALL.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

ALL crowds are distinctive. The baseball crowd differs from that seen at a football game, which is equally different from that to be seen at the race course.

And by the same token every holiday crowd wears its own label. These, unlike the sporting crowds, are not different in personnel and composition, but in demeanor and collective characteristics. They are under the sway or spell of the occasion.

Every New Year's Eve gathering is one of jubilation.

On Christmas people radiate a wholesome, quiet cheer, and there is an exhalation of good will.

The average Fourth of July crowd is laboriously active, and makes hard work out of having a good time. On Thanksgiving, people become porcine and heavy. For the most part they are selfishly thankful. Otherwise they wouldn't set aside the day for stuffing themselves.

PATHETIC.

Along toward evening, a Fourth of July crowd is one of the most pathetic sights in the world. The day runs mainly to picnics and orations, and I don't think that any normal human being really enjoys either of these things. They start out in the morning with lots of zip, a stiff upper lip and an air of dogged determination, albeit with some inward misgivings. Plainly, they are determined to have a good time, and will die game if necessary. In the evening they return showing all the animation of a group of Polish refugees—moist, warm, sick and greasy, and ready to snap if spoken to. If their festivities are prolonged into the evening they are forced and rasping. The celebration peters out in an anticlimax, and everybody goes home wondering whether "Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" is really worth the physical exertion which it entails.

OUT OF SORTS.

Evening finds the average Thanksgiving crowd heavy and distressed. A family coming down the sidewalks waddles in a way to suggest a drove of hogs. The average lady or gent seems to be sensing signs of approaching indigestion of symptoms of gout. There is something about the whole scene which suggests a sour stomach, and a leaden dullness.

On Christmas the whole world comes nearer being kin than at any other time, and it seldom is followed by anything worse than a pain in the pocket book. A Christmas crowd may wind up tired and broke, but withal happpy, and it is a satisfying weariness and a kind of bankruptcy that you don't begrudge.

The average New Year's Eve crowd is a forty-two-centimeter gathering with tumultuous trimmings and a few rugh-neck ruffles. Nearly everybody has a desire to throw the exhaust wide open and step on the high. Guns are unspiked, and bottles uncorked. It is considered proper and in good taste for a perfectly strange lady to tickle you on the chin, blow a friendly blast from a fish horn into your ear or shove a pint of confetti down the unprotected back of your neck. A common sight witnessed on these carefree occasions is that of a grown man walking down the street dragging a tin can on the end of a string. If he tried that stunt any other time the officers would have him in

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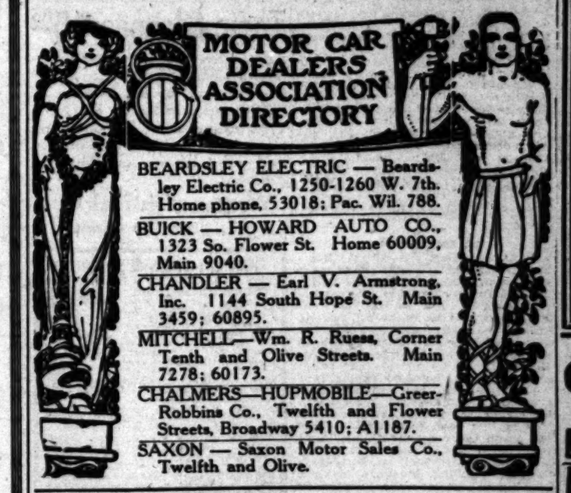

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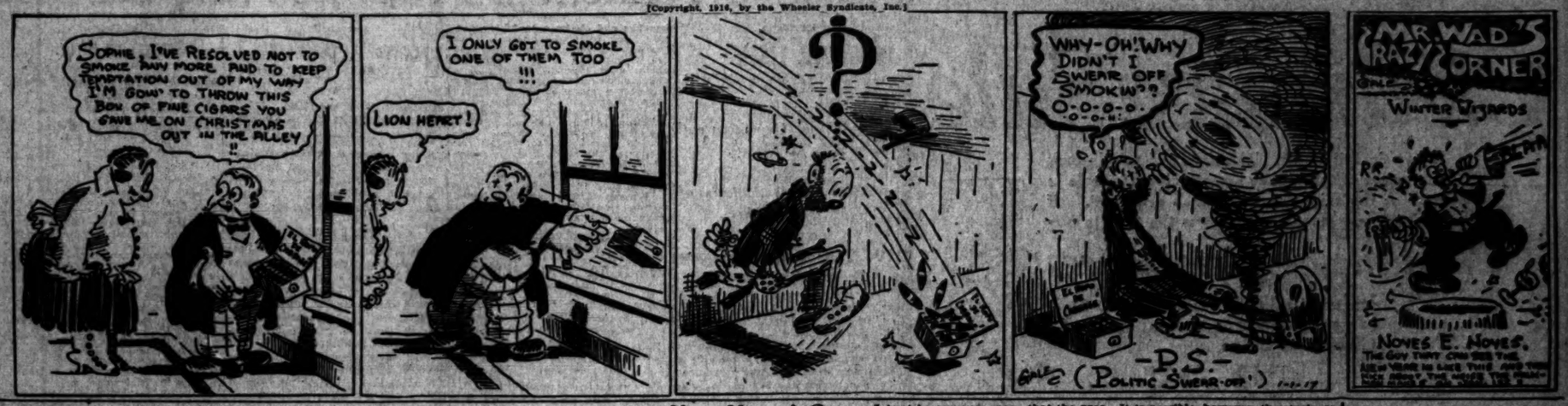

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SPORT CHAMPS FOR THE YEAR.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE ... Dec. 30.—Champions of the ... all the sports:
...—De Lloyd Thompson.
...—Lewis E. de Garmo.
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... (team)—Irish-American ... York.
... (men) — Dr. Robert P.
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... (speedway) — Johnny
... (A.A.A.)—Dario Res-
... (road)—Eddie O'Don-
... (dirt track) — Fred
... (amateur) — William
... (team)—Boston Red Sox.
... batsman (National)—Hal
... batsman (American)—
... (amateur) — Edward
... (professional) — Willie
... (three-cushion)—George
... (pocket)—Frank Taber-
... (amateur)—J. Stashle.
... (professional) — Frank
... (team) — Spears-McNa-
... (all events) — Frank
... (team)—Commodore
... (singles) — Sam Schil-
... (doubles) — Thoma-Ma-
... (heavyweight)—Jess Wil-
... (middleweight)—No hold-
... (welterweight)—No hold-
... (lightweight) — Freddie
... (featherweight) — Johnny
... (bantamweight)—Johnny
... (amateur)—Leo Friede.
... Emanuel Lasker.
... (folo)—Alfred E. Sauer.
... (woman) — Mrs. Charles
... (team)—Navy.
... (East)—Pittsburgh.
... (West)—Ohio State.
... (amateur) — Charles Evans.
... (men)—Charles Evans, Jr.
... (women)—Alexa Stirling.
... (professional) — James M.
...—Peter Hol.
... (college)—Harvard.
... (amateur)—Boston A. A.
... Disturber IV.
... (professional)—Edwin
... Napoleon Direct.
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... (amateur) — Stanley G.
... (professional)—Jay
... Edward Clark.
... (amateur) — Thomas J.
... (professional) — Ernest
... (college)—Syracuse.
... (club)—Duluth.
... (amateur)—J. F. Wulf.
... (professional) — Philip
... (lie)—Anton O'Sickey.
... (roller)—E. R. Eglington.
... (amateur)—Andrew Olsen.
... (professional)—Henry Hall.
... (college)—Haverford.
... (national)—Bethlehem.
... (amateur)—Eric S. Win-
... (professional)—Walter A.
... Michael McDermott.
... (polo)—Princeton.
... (men) — R. Norris Wil-
... (ladies)—Johnston-Grif-
... (women)—Molla Bjursted.
... (auction)—Bjursted-Wag-
... (junior) — Harold A.
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TIA JUANA RESULTS.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
SAN DIEGO, Dec. 31.—Today's ... results:

First race—One mile, selling. ... 106 (Ormes), second; Frog Eye, 106 (Casey), second; Bandie, 112 (O'Brien) third. Time, 1:42.

Second race—One mile, selling. ... Zeitetic, 107 (Alexander), first; Sandcock, 107 (Gross), second; Trout Fly, 91, (Eherer) third. Time, 1:41 1-5.

Third race—Six furlongs, selling. ... Rara Vez, 106 (Gross), first; Lady Rowena, 94 (Moore) second; Katherine G., 112 (O'Brien) third. Time, 1:15.

Fourth race—Six furlongs, the ... handicap, selling, purse ... Bayonarra, 106 (J. McInerney), first; She'll Do, 106 (Pickens) second; Justice Goebel, 108 (Lilley) third. Time, 1:13 4-5.

Fifth race—Five and one-half furlongs, purse, $400; Van Horn, 106 (Lilley) first; Kenneth, 112 (Ormes) second; Little Jack, 110 ... third. Time, 1:08.

Sixth race—One mile, selling. ... Bolaia, 103 (Eherer) first; Ambert, 112 (Ormes) second; ... 106 (Casey) third. Time, ...

PASADENA BEATEN IN BASEBALL GAME.

The San Pedro Merchants defeated ... nine at the latter city ... by the score of 3 to 2. The ... one of the best ever played ... Crown City. Pete Schneider ... winners, only allowed three ... Dick Hillman won the game ... eighth, driving in a run ... him with a homer. The

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...—Ahamburg and East-... Schneider and Eagle.

FULLERTON IS EASY WINNER.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
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Not New.

FOOD CONTROL IN GREAT BRITAIN.

REGULATIONS HAVE EXISTED SINCE MIDDLE AGES.

Sale of Lightweight Loaves Once Subjected the Dealer to be Carried Around London on a Hurdle with a String of Small Loaves Around His Neck.

[London Correspondence Christian Science Monitor:] Economic conditions have been so greatly affected throughout Europe by the war that many people in England are already resigned to some measures for regulating the food supply, while others are clamoring for the introduction of such measures. Neither seems to realize that there is no novelty in state regulation of food production of supply, even in the home of individualism which England has been, more especially during the nineteenth century.

As a matter of fact, throughout Europe, including England, special regulations for the production and sale of bread have existed since the Middle Ages, if not from earlier times. The baking of bread is one of the oldest of human industries, going back, as the evidence of lake dwellings proves, to the Stone Age, and it is more than probable that in an elaborate and Socialistic state, such as the Cretan, the trade was subject to regulations. The first act of Parliament in England which affected the sale of bread was passed in 1266.

This act still further regulated the price by public assize, continuing the system which had been adopted in the reign of King John, when the chief justiciary and a baker were commissioned to inspect the assize. The restrictions which it established were nominally for the protection of the consumer; incidentally they appear often to have been unduly irksome to the baker. The result was that about the time of the passing of the statute alluded to, a guild of bakers was formed in London for the protection of the trade's interests. Some few years subsequently, at the opening of the fourteenth century, this guild received a charter of incorporation, and until the middle of the seventeenth century this guild seems to have been subdivided into one of "White Bakers" and one of "Brown Bakers."

The city of London has, from time immemorial, been the home of quaint and interesting customs. At one time the Bakers' Company was in the habit of presenting two newly-baked loaves, made out of wheaten corn which came from the markets at St. Botolph, Bishopsgate, Gracechurch, Queenhithe, and which was purchased by four "sworn and discreet men," to be weighed in the presence of the Lord Mayor and Aldermen. The chief market for bread, however, was Stratford le Bow, just without the city precincts, and it had the unenviable distinction of having to supply heavier loaves than those supplied from within the actual area of the city. An unfortunate Stratford baker who, in the days of "Merrie England," rashly sold some loaves of lighter weight than allowed by the assize, was carried round London on a hurdle, with a fool's cap on his head and a string of small loaves round his neck.

The chief corn warehouse was situated at Queenhithe, and had its eight master porters, who were responsible for its administration, while the principal city bread store was situated at the Bridge House. Here the Lord Mayor fixed the price to be paid and the quantity to be sold, and he does not always seem to have been very liberal. The story goes that when the cook of James I on one occasion ran short of wheaten flour and applied in its stress to the Lord Mayor for forty quarters of wheat, that worthy only sent His Majesty ten. The two streets, Cornhill and Bread street, recall the days when the great corn market of London was situated in the heart of the city and the spot where the medieval bakers used to foregather for their market.

The regulation of the sale of bread, fixing the price by "public assize," which was established in the thirteenth century and modified in the reign of Queen Anne, continued until 1822. In that year an act, known as the third of George IV, was passed, repealing all acts then in force relating to bread sold in London and within ten miles of the Royal Exchange, and providing fresh regulations for the making and sale of bread, and preventing the adulteration of meal, flour and bread. It was not till another fourteen years had elapsed that a similar act came into operation dealing with the country generally beyond the ten-mile limit of the Royal Exchange.

These two acts permitted bakers to make bread of any weight or size, provided that it was made of flour, or meal of wheat, barley, rye, oats, buckwheat, Indian corn, peas, beans, rice or potatoes, or any of them, and with common salt, pure water, eggs, milk, barm, leaven, potato or other yeast, mixed in such proportions as they should think fit, and with no other ingredients whatever, and provided it was sold by weight avoirdupois.

Though these acts imposed a penalty not exceeding 40 shillings for selling bread otherwise than by weight, and imposed upon bakers the duty of providing scales and weights in a conspicuous part of their shop, there is nothing in the act which makes it incumbent upon the baker to weigh the loaf, unless asked to do so by the customer, and the probability is that the customer who is a householder, seldom asks the baker to weigh the bread. The loaves are "quarterns, or four pounds five and one-half ounces, and "half-quarterns," and when selling to purchasers over the counter, the baker has to make up any deficiency; this he does by cutting the necessary amount from another loaf. These regulations, however, do not apply to fancy bread or rolls, nor did the act apply to Scotland, which has its local customs and regulations, or to Ireland, but in the case of the latter country, an act was passed in 1848 which placed bakers there on a footing similar to that obtaining in England.

None of these acts made any provision for the sanitary arrangements of bakehouses, and it was not until 1863 that any provision in this direction was made. In 1878 bakeries were brought within the provisions of the factory and workshops act, and subjected to rigid supervision. From 1901 they have been placed under the control of the local authorities.

Since the outbreak of war the price of bread has risen steadily, from about fourpence or fivepence per quartern loaf in the country and London respectively, to tenpence and elevenpence. The rise has called forth complaints in some quarters as being excessive, and it will surprise some people to learn that such a price has been reached on several occasions during the past century. In 1872 the price at one time rose to tenpence, and on three occasions between 1850 and 1870 the price rose to tenpence halfpenny, and one one occasion to elevenpence; but the highest level ever reached was in 1800 when for four weeks the price of the quartern loaf was one shilling and tenpence halfpenny.

Delay It.

COST OF DYING IS TOO HIGH.

JOHN BURROUGHS ADVISES EVERYONE TO POSTPONE IT.

The Old Simplicity is Gone and the Cost of Funerals has Kept Pace with the Surgeon's Charges for Superintending the Introduction of a Child to this World.

[John Burroughs, in the New York Times:] If one could figure out why the cost of dying, yes, and why the cost of being born, also, has so gone up in the last fifty or more years, he might be able to throw some light on the much-discussed question of the high cost of living.

Both birth and death have in our time become very expensive luxuries, and one had better think twice or thrice before he indulges in them. In the first case there is danger that he will bankrupt his parents, and in the latter case, that he will impoverish his heirs.

If he contemplates making his advent in, or his egress from, one of the great cities, say, New York, let him beware. Let him put it off as long as he can. Let him change the venue to the country; he will find the terms hard enough then. And the reason is that we demand so many comforts, and conveniences, and luxuries, and elegancies, even in the country. We must be nursed into the world, and nursed out of it. We must be born sumptuously, and be buried luxuriously.

The time I selected to come into the world, nearly eighty years ago, things were different. Neither the standards of birth nor of death had taken such a rise. I doubt if it cost my parents $5 to launch me fairly on my career. One or two visits from the old village doctor with his leather saddle-bags, a call of a night or a part of a day from a neighboring housewife, a little extra care and attention from the "hired girl," and the crisis was safely passed. A trained nurse was never dreamed of, or heard of. And in a couple of weeks mother was probably up and around about her business—skimming milk and packing butter.

If I had decided to die after a week or ten days' illness, on reaching man's estate, the cost to my family would probably not have exceeded $25 or $30. Say, ten visits from the doctor, three miles away, a good cherry coffin made by the local cabinet maker—good enough for a king—no undertaker, no hired carriages, no vain show, the coffin taken to the church in a farmer's "pleasure wagon," then borne to the cemetery by the hands of neighbors, and the grave filled by the same hands—and all is over!

But the old simplicity, the old homely ways are gone and the showy, high-priced, fussy new ways have come in. There is a vast army of trained nurses to be supported and a vast army of doctors to be supported and to persuade you or command you to employ a trained nurse.

A friend who had been referred from specialist to specialist, for whom trained nurses, a masseuse, sequestration, special diets and various other remedial measures had been adopted, was naively assured by her last trained nurse (who was about to be dismissed that a nurse for other specialists might be installed,) "Really, Mrs. N——, it would be cheaper for you to die."

In the household of another acquaintance I recently learned of there having been five different specialists and as many trained nurses called within eight days.

Yes, and there is a member of the coffin trust in every village to tax you $100 for a sham, but showy coffin and the use of his dismal trappings and funeral properties.

No special class of persons is to blame for this change. It is the spirit of the times, the increase in wealth, the rise in the standard of living, the growth of pride, the rivalry and competition in all departments of life, the decay of seriousmindedness, of humility and the shifting of the standard of values from the real to the meretricious among the people.

Of course, one reason of the high cost of living, as of dying, is the abundance of money. As money becomes cheap things become dear. Another is the thousand and one conveniences and luxuries with which we surround ourselves—the telephone, the telegraph, the trolley line, automobiles, the electric lights, State roads, the newspapers and the food supplies from all parts of the earth.

We must pay for what we have; we must pay for every pretty wrapper and box and tin can and bottle and paper bag that our food and drink come in.

We buy a pound of rice put up in cotton cloth bags, prettily stamped; we buy sugar in five or ten-pound bags of a similar kind, and flour in twenty or thirty-pound bags and so on. We buy our groceries in driblets, elegantly put up. We buy our apples and potatoes and peaches by the quart and have them sent home. We are ashamed to be seen on the street, carrying a market basket.

Some years ago I did see the judge of one of our county courts going home carrying his Christmas turkey in his hand. I believe the judge would give you a fair trial.

In my time the farmers and villagers lived independently of the canning factories. In a country store at that time you saw mainly dry goods and hardware. Now all the main shelves are packed with showy canned goods, and the dry goods and hardware occupy a little niche or a corner at one side.

The country is strewn with empty tin cans. The farmer takes his milk to the creamery and comes back with canned corn, peas, tomatoes, peaches and dried fruit. What his father and mother used to produce upon the farm the son now buys at the grocery.

And yet we marvel at the high cost of living and talk about legislation to correct the evil. As well legislate against the weather.

Let us by legislation put an end to these droughts and floods and cold, late springs!

Do not try to teach the farmer how to grow bigger crops; he grows more now than he can get a fair price for—scores of bushels of good apples rotted on the ground in my orchards this fall because it would not have paid to send them to market. But help the farmer to reach the consumer more directly; simplify and unify the system of distribution, cut out most of the middle men and limit the number of grocery stores in every city and village, and let the people come back to something like the old thrift and economy.

WORK ON ROLLER SKATES.

Telegraph Messenger Boys Gather up Copy without Stopping.

[Pouplar Science Monthly:] During the rush hours, when telegraph operators are busiest, Western Union boys glide on roller skates from desk to desk, snatching the messages from the hooks without even stopping, and scarcely slackening their speed. The boys and operators cooperate in the ratio of about one to twenty-two. That is, with one boy to every twenty-two operators, the messages are not allowed to stay on their hooks more than one second before being snapped up.

The skates are fitted with rubber rollers, so that another feature of modern business efficiency—silence—has been considered. Every second is scored down in black and white on the telegrams, and efficiency experts study these figures in an attempt to cut down the seconds to fractions of seconds. The use of skates reduces the time according to the space which has to be covered. The main office in Baltimore has five boys who work in shifts, two being able to handle the work of forty-five of the swiftest operators. The room is sixty feet long and accommodates many operators. Best of all, the boys enjoy their work.

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New Years' Crowd.

(Continued from Sixth Page.)

a straight jacket inside of two hours so as to make sure that he couldn't harm any of the other prisoners while waiting for the lunacy commission to meet.

THE CUSTOM.

We don't know where the custom originated of seeing the old year out and the new one in, and greeting said auspicious event with a glad hand and prolonged noise, but we have a hunch that it can be traced to some of our benighted and pagan ancestors. Being ignorant and superstitious in their day and generation, it is probable that they awaited the event each year with some misgivings. They probably had a hunch that there might not be any new year—that the present one would be the last. And as people crave company on such solemn occasions, they just naturally sort of gathered together as the dread hour approached, and stood huddled in shivering groups under the trees, their feet cold and their hands clammy, waiting for something to bust. Then when it didn't, but the hour of midnight was passed without a hitch, and the world continued to wag right along, these noble ancestors of ours just naturally yelled their heads off through sheer excess of joy. This, we have a hunch, was the form of the first New Year's celebration, and is responsible for the peculiar species of insanity to be observed on the blending of December 31 into January 1 even at this late day.

How the custom of imbibing more freely on New Year's Eve than on other eves originated is not so clear. It is possible, however, the strain on our ancestors was so great that while waiting for the world to explode at midnight they took a few jolts of liquor by way of keeping their courage up, and this annual outcropping of a great thirst has been handed down through the cold gray dawn of countless generations, even unto the present "morning after."

The Egg-act Truth.

[Boston Transcript:] New Boarder: The dealers say that the high price of eggs is caused by their scarcity.

Old Boarder: Huh! The scarcity of eggs in this joint is caused by their high price.

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J. S. Peach broke all previous bicycle records between this city and San Bernardino when he pedaled the distance from here and return in 6h. 58m. This betters the previous mark by 1h. 59m. His time to San Bernardino was 3h. 12m. He averaged about twenty miles an hour for the trip. Peach rode a Miami racer.

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Is now in full swing. Thousands of people took advantage of this money savings clearance sale in spite of the rainy weather which prevailed. If you will ever need shoes now is the time to buy

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Values to $5.00. Black Kid Button and Patent. Second Annual Clearance Price

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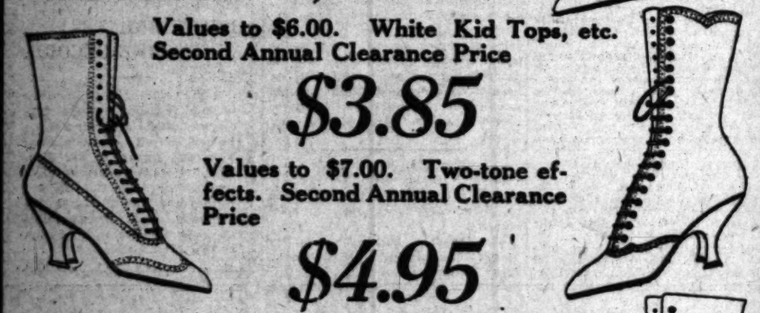

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Pasadena.

BEGGAR USES DRESS SUIT.

Enters Crown City Store and Asks for Money.

Advance Guard Appears of the Army of Idlers.

Ten Tramps Walking Down Track to Tournament.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Jan. 1.—The peculiar phenomenon of a beggar in evening clothes appeared in Pasadena last evening. When a man in a dress suit went in a drug store near Colorado street and Los Robles avenue and asked for money for supper, the proprietor thought he was about to be held up. When the stranger left the police were notified and a search made for the stylish mendicant.

From descriptions furnished the police, it is believed that the beggar was a noted criminal who possesses an elaborate wardrobe. The beggar is thought to be in a class by himself and not one of the crowd of I.W.W.'s who have been attracted to Pasadena by the crowds which attend the Tournament of Roses.

The advance guard of the idlers arrived in the city yesterday as indicated by the numerous complaints of persons who had been stopped on the street by the brasen beggars. A report was telephoned the police department yesterday afternoon that a crowd of ten tramps had passed Covina Junction and were walking to Pasadena along the Pacific Electric tracks. Evidently the men separated shortly after they entered as no such crowd could be found.

IMPORTANT CASE POSTPONED.

City Attorney Munger has received word of the postponement of two important legal matters. The hearing of the injunction suit in which J. W. Morin seeks to halt the sale of electricity to Los Angeles by the city of Pasadena, under a contract recently made. The case will be heard on the 11th inst. The question of obtaining a 5-cent fare to Pasadena Heights, newly annexed territory, has been postponed by the city's request until the 23rd inst. instead of the 9th, as originally announced.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena. —[Advertisement.

OLD DAYS GONE, NEW ERA ARRIVES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Dec. 31.—No longer will the Smithers General Merchandise Store at Santa Maria be the hotbed of the nation's political intriguing. Today Martin Smithers, the proprietor, moved all benches and chairs out of his store, as a long deferred acquiescence to the demands of a more progressive era. With the benches and the chairs went the old wooden box and its contents of sawdust, which has served many distinguished and near-distinguished individuals as a cuspidor for nearly half a century.

Following Smithers's action consternation reigned, several "old-timers" threatening to boycott the keeper of the store. It is understood that some of the women are also indignant since being confronted with the possibility of their "old men" loafing around home, dirting up the parlor and in other ways making a nuisance of themselves.

Reasonable.

VENTURA PROSPEROUS.

Never Has Trade Been so Good as at Present, Due to Several Causes Which are Very Apparent.—Ranchers Are All Doing Well.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENTURA, Dec. 31.—The 23d of December marked the biggest business day in the history of the city.

Holiday trade, and trade for the whole month, was a record-breaker; "the best we have ever known," say all the merchants.

The unusual prosperity is attributed to three forceful agencies:

First, the great activity in the local oil fields has brought in many families and more men. High wages are being received by them, and their money is being spent in the city.

Second, the great big crop necessitated the employment of scores of people to handle the beans.

Third, the highest prices ever received by ranchers for their crops.

When farmers are prosperous prosperity abounds everywhere.

SAN BERNARDINO SHOWS BIG GAINS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 31.—Material gains in postoffice receipts, building permits and bank deposits and resources were shown during 1916 as an evidence of the prosperity and growth of the city, despite the conditions in the world at large. The banks of the city made a gain of two-thirds of a million in the twelve months and the resources of the institutions climbed from $6,727,023.75 to $7,436,739.3c, according to official bank statements.

Postoffice receipts gained more than 12 per cent. in the year, the total for 1916 being more than $51,-000. Building gained 10 per cent., the close of the present year showing more than $350,000 in permits on the books.

Figures reached by using the school population and the ratio between the 1910 census and the registration in the schools indicate that the population of San Bernardino has passed the 20,000 mark. There are 3503 students enrolled in the city schools at present.

Porterville.

FLOOD WATERS OF TULE HIT RAILROAD.

SUDDEN RISE WASHES TRACK OF PACIFIC ELECTRIC.

Seven Hundred Railway Ties Were Washed Down the Stream. River Rises Suddenly as the Result of the Heavy Downpour. Loss will not be Heavy.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 31.—Loss of more than $1500 was occasioned to the Pacific Electric Railroad in a sudden rise in the water in Tule River, which washed out a section of temporary track near Magnolia station, south of here and carried off about 700 railroad ties.

Accidental discovery of the ties was occasioned by W. C. Wells, a Plano district rancher, who called up the railroad offices and protested against action of a man representing himself to be a company agent, who tore down a section of fence on the Wells place in order to drive into a field to secure the ties which had been washed down the river. W. P. Ballard, superintendent, declared no such orders had been given, and expressed satisfaction that the missing property had been found. Before Ballard could reach the Wells place the visitor apparently became uneasy and left.

Redlands.

THIS YEAR'S ORANGES OF FINE QUALITY.

INCREASE IN YIELD GREATLY EXCEEDS NORMAL YEARS.

There is a Strong Demand for Pickers and the Estimate for the Redlands District is Placed at Forty-four Hundred Cars, with Several Millions Valuation.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Dec. 30.—The finest oranges ever grown in the big Redlands district are to be shipped to the fruit hungry people of the East during the winter months, according to the growers and packers of the district. The cold weather has been a great tonic for the fruit and has done an immense amount of good.

Packers are beginning to make an estimate of the crop and the average indicates that close to 4400 cars and possibly more of oranges will be shipped from the district this year. This means that there will roughly be 440,000,000 oranges picked from the trees here and sent direct to the people of the Eastern States this season.

Prices are now fairly good despite the great amount of fruit dumped on the market. The local packing-houses have cut down on the shipping of fruit until after the first week in January, to give the northern fruit and the Florida fruit a chance to get well off the market. Then will start the long grind in the packing-houses, which is known as the long pool and lasts from January 1 to March 31.

Two pools have been handled, the Christmas pool and the December pool. After the long pool comes the short pool, in which there are some sweets and Mediterraneans, and then comes the Valencia pool, which has been a big payer for several years.

It is impossible to gauge the prices for the coming season now but most packers seem to think that the growers should get better than 2 cents a pound for their fruit this year. This will mean that the growers alone should get between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000 for the oranges that are now on the trees. The packing-houses, the railroads and the commission men in the East will get about that much.

There is plenty of work in the groves now, and for a time the growers had trouble in getting pickers. The shortage has not been acute, however, and with the closing of the season in the north it is expected that there will be plenty of pickers and packers in to handle the crop of gold now on the trees.

The shortage of refrigerator cars, or the "reefers" in which the fruit is sent to the market, has been acute, but railroad men believe that with care in packing and loading the shortage will work no hardship. Most of the packing-houses are putting from fifty to a hundred more boxes of oranges in each car. The loading has gradually been raised from 334 boxes for a car to 456 and now it is about 540.

The fruit is running to good sizes this year, from 154 to 200, meaning that many oranges packed in each box. These are the most popular sizes. It is well colored, sweet and has been testing far ahead of the 8-to-1 standard.

COLTON TALKING ON DRY QUESTION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COLTON, Dec. 31.—Since the action of the San Bernardino City Council in passing a "dry" ordinance absolutely prohibiting the sale of liquor in that city after July 1, 1917, the future move of the Colton Board of Trustees is watched with interest.

The Colton officials agreed in a resolution passed several weeks ago that in the event San Bernardino voted "dry" immediate steps would be taken to place Colton in the same condition. Because of the declaration of one Colton official that the wording of the resolution is construed to mean voting "dry" at an election and not in the Council chamber, developments in the rather peculiar situation are awaited with interest by both sides in the controversy.

NEEDLES TO GET NEW ROUND HOUSE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

NEEDLES, Dec. 31.—Work is to be started here soon on the construction of a forty-stall round house and more than a dozen buildings for the Santa Fe which maintains headquarters for the Arizona division of the coast lines at this point. The roundhouse is to be of reinforced concrete and one of the largest on the system. It is announced that contracts will be awarded in the next few weeks.

El Centro.

FAIR CLOSES.

Imperial Valley Live Stock Show a Gratifying Success and will be Reproduced Every Year. Live Stock of Valley is Equal of Any.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 30.—In the opinion of experts who visited the Imperial Valley live stock show, the affair, which closed today, was the most important of the kind ever held in the Southwest. It was the first held in the valley, and will be an annual event hereafter.

Prof. E. W. Major, expert, said the dairy cattle were a credit to any section. R. H. Williams, Arizona husbandry expert, stated that a phenomenal improvement had been made in the raising of live stock here in the past five years.

Exhibitors at the fair, with few exceptions, announced their intention of entering exhibits at the international live stock exposition to be held in Los Angeles next year.

Interest centered in the hog awards yesterday. J. E. Peck captured most of the awards for Duroc-Jerseys, the Timken ranch getting several firsts, and Paulin Bros. being third in the awards. In the Poland-China class the herd entered by the Warne Bros. captured the trophies. The Timken ranch herd secured the majority of the ribbons in the Berkshire class of hogs.

El Centro.

TWOHY BROTHERS TO BUILD NEW LINE.

ARRIVE WITH LARGE QUANTITY OF EQUIPMENT.

Twelve Hundred Men are to be Placed at Work Upon the San Diego and Arizona Railway Connecting Imperial Valley with the Ocean.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 31.—John Twohy, of the firm of Twohy Bros., San Francisco, with a corps of assistants, has arrived to take charge of the construction of the remaining link in the San Diego and Arizona Railroad, between Coyote Wells and Campo. With him came many cars of equipment, with more to follow. He has arranged to hire 1200 men to start work. Part of the equipment consists of fourteen locomotives, sixty gondola cars, five steam shovels, and 200 other cars. The pay roll of the company from the start will be from $100,000 to $125,000 per month.

A stretch of 20.46 miles between Campo and Jacumba will be first constructed. The State Railroad Commission has given authority for the construction of this part of the road. A small force of men is busy now erecting buildings necessary for the housing of the men and the commissary department.

With the San Diego and Arizona work on the south, and the Calipatria and Westmoreland railroad work beginning January 5 in the north end of the valley, there will be more activity in railroad building in this section than any other similar area in the West. The huge total of agricultural products attracts the railroad builders.

Porterville.

ORANGE HYGROMETER

Latest Wrinkle in the Standardization of Orange Testing Proposed by Tulare County Orchardists and it is Claimed to be Best Method.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 31.—Orchardists of the Porterville district are planning to urge the passage at the next session of the State Legislature of an orange standardization law, which it is believed here will be acceptable in all parts of the State.

Under the terms of this law standardisation will be based on hygrometer readings, and oranges will be considered fit to ship when a spindle reading of the juice of the fruit gives 11 or 12 degs., irrespective of the acid content. The suggested Federal standard is eight parts of soluble solids to one part of acid. It is urged here that insipid fruit, grown without cultivation or irrigation, frequently shows practically no sugar or other solids, and very little acid, as a result of which the ratio is very high, while the fruit may be of poor eating quality.

The Federal regulation that fruit must test eight to one before it may be sweated would still govern, and thus would prevent the marketing of improperly colored fruit.

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Pomona.

DISCARDED FIRE HORSE SEEKS OLD STALL TO DIE

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 31.—Old Fred, the horse which served the fire department of this city from the time it was organized until automobile fire trucks crowded him out of his place a year ago, slipped out of his halter at the park department stable Tuesday night and went back to the fire station to die in the comfortable old stall where he spent twelve out of his seventeen years upon earth, but when he reached the fire station the doors were locked and he couldn't get in, so he went a dozen yards west of the fire hall, to the entrance of the Main-street livery, sneaked in, sought an empty box stall, laid his head down upon the lap of earth, and made his last run, to a land where there are no fire bells—where the only blaze is a blaze of glorious light, in horse heaven.

When the city no longer had work for old Fred he was given to the park department and was sent out to do hard labor. They kept him at the city stables in the west end of town. On Christmas Day he was given an extra pint of oats for dinner, and it is believed that the oats brought on an attack of indigestion. At any rate, Fred had a bad pain in his stomach Tuesday afternoon and it grew worse as night came on.

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Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

White spaces and dashes are charged for on the basis of seven words to a line.

Ads set solid are counted strictly by the word. For paragraphed or lined-up matter set in caps, estimate five (5) average words to a line. Not set in caps, estimate five (5) average words to the first line, and eight (8) average words to each line following. In this kind of advertising the actual number of words set solid is counted, and eight (8) words added for each unfilled line.

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephoned advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Errors not the fault of the advertiser, which clearly lessen the value of an advertisement, will be rectified only by republication, without extra charge, on presentation of receipt within five days after insertion. No allowance will be made when the error does not materially affect the value or purpose of the advertisement.

No adjustment will be made for advertising items not affected by an error or errors which may occur in other items in the same advertisement.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times for payment of "liners," as no mistake can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or change "till forbid" advertisements.

Telephone orders to discontinue advertising in The Times are numbered in the order of their receipt, and in each instance the number of the order is given to the advertiser, who should make a record thereof. In case of dispute no charge for advertising will be rebated unless the "stop order" number is presented to The Times by the advertiser.

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before [illegible] Saturday night. Other classified "Wants," "To Let," etc., received over counter or by telephone until 11 p.m. Saturday. Ads received after closing hours for each division, will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify." Rate 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds [illegible] copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times," Main 8200; Home 10391, any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times does not knowingly accept objectionable advertisements of any kind or character—whisky, turf, lottery, "get-rich-quick," [illegible] and it uses every reasonable precaution to keep its advertising columns clean and wholesome. This is a guaranty of protection to its readers, as well as to its legitimate advertising patrons. To the end that all false and spurious advertising may be rigidly excluded from the columns of The Times, information that will aid in the maintenance of this policy is solicited, and will be welcomed from Times readers and advertisers. Correspondence on the subject will be accepted in confidence.

"BE QUICK TO KICK IF THINGS SEEM WRONG, BUT KICK TO US AND MAKE IT [illegible]."

INSTANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS.

For the convenience of persons who may desire to reply to classified advertisements, printed in The Times, send communications to this newspaper and have "liners" and other advertisements [illegible] letter boxes have been placed in [illegible] downtown buildings for the purpose indicated.

Collections will be made from these boxes [illegible].

Each piece of advertising copy must contain the name and address of the advertiser, number of insertions and heading under which it is desired that the announcement be printed.

The boxes are located as follows:

[illegible] BLOCK, 142 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
BROADWAY CENTRAL, 424 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 430 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] TRUST BLDG., 312 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 426 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 324 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 358 S. BROADWAY. (Front of elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING. (Near elevator, Fourth-street lobby.)
[illegible] BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 411 S. MAIN ST. (Next to U. S. mail box.)
L. A. INVESTMENT BLDG., 758 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby rear of elevator.)
LANKERSHIM BLDG., 128 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby opposite elevator.)
[illegible] BLDG., 215 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. mail box.)
MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 9TH, SPRING & MAIN. (On elevator shaft, No. 4.)
[illegible] BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (In lobby.)
MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (Beneath U. S. mail box.)
[illegible] JOHNSON BLDG., FOURTH & BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG., 608-610 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
[illegible] WESLEY ROBERTS BLDG., THIRD & MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)
SAN FERNANDO BLDG., 406 S. MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)

The locations of additional boxes will be published as they are installed.

Main Office, First and Broadway.
Spring St. Branch, 619 S. Spring st.
Hill St. Branch, 723-725 S. Hill st.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

LOS ANGELES CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE. THE course includes X-ray, anatomy, physiology, [illegible], urine analysis, histology, chemistry, bacteriology, gynecology, pathology, toxicology, hygiene, minor surgery, obstetrics, medical Spanish, chiropractic technique. Twelve teachers. Day and night classes. Clinic and private treatments. DR. CHARLES A. CALE, President, 951 S. Hill st. Classes and treatments from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Our regular $300 course is now given for $100, payable $1 down and $1 a week. Thirty [illegible] now attending. The tuition price will positively be increased to $110 January 1. The [illegible] legislature is practically certain to legalize chiropractic. Enroll now and be ready.

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR—WARTS, MOLES AND BIRTHMARKS removed with the electric needle, the only safe and permanent cure where used by an EXPERT OPERATOR. It makes no difference to me who or what you have tried. I GUARANTEE any hair I treat will never return. Money and time saved by my method, which is painless and will leave no marks or scars. LOCATED IN LOS ANGELES 11 YEARS. ANNA M. BERGERON, [illegible] Bldg., corner 7th and Broadway.

[illegible]—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF [illegible] telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books [illegible] at 75 cents each, the coupon being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 8200 and Home 10391, and our representative will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," collecting at the same time for the coupon book delivered. One "REDIPHONE" only will be delivered to each purchaser.

SCENARIOS DEVELOPED. SCENARIOS, books and short stories in manuscript, translated, revised, criticised, typed and marketed. Pen copies accepted. By personal representatives call on all studios. Melodies arranged, song poems set to music. M. M. DALEY, 716-717 Majestic Theater Bldg.

CAN REDUCE YOUR FLESH SCIENTIFICALLY and well, especially women from 30 to 50 years. Must be under my personal observation and do as you are instructed. No dieting. Appointment by phone only. MAIN 6731.

ANY ONE SUFFERING FROM DIABETES, RHEUMatism, nervousness or one who requires expert massage, call up Prof. G. J. KODAMA, Japanese masseur, specialist, Main 5048, Home [illegible], 228 S. Hill st.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS for the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify" if not received before 5 p.m. Saturday.

BETTER EARLY THAN LATE—Telephone your Sunday ads. to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING, $1; REPAIRS. CAMPBELL, the furnace man, Broadway 4404.

FOR QUICK ACTION DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" Section.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLoger and palmist; thirty years in Los Angeles; [illegible] practice, highest grade of work. High-class [illegible] solicited. 621 S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—MME. JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMist and psychic; readings, 50c. 822 E. 15TH st. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL—HELP US SERVE YOU by telephoning your Sunday ads. to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

PERSONAL—DIAMONDS—IF YOU WANT TO realize quick money on your diamonds see me. [illegible], 204 Laughlin Bldg.

PERSONAL—MME. GRA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC. Best life reading in city. 645½ S. SPRING.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—

PROF. J. A. MURDOCK,

COR. 8TH AVENUE AND WEST 54TH ST.

THE GREATEST PSYCHIC

AND YOGI MEDIATOR IN AMERICA.

READINGS, 50 CENTS AND ONE DOLLAR.

WITHOUT ASKING A QUESTION, without any previous knowledge, and having no natural means of knowing who you are, whence or for what you come, he tells your name, names of friends and enemies—who are true and who are false. Tells whom and when you will marry, giving names, dates, facts and location, accepting no fee unless satisfaction is given.

Prof. Murdock is the highest authority in his honorable profession, his advice is sought by all who want to be successful in their undertakings, therefore, WAKE UP, THROW OFF THE CHAINS OF LETHARGY and consult this celebrated Psychic. His advice on SPECULATION AND INVESTMENT is sought by thousands, and he is ever ready to help and advise those with capital to find a safe and

GOOD-PAYING INVESTMENT.

This he can positively do and demands no fee until the investment has paid a handsome profit to his client. Can you expect anything fairer? Prof. Murdock's extraordinary psychic power, combined with his superior knowledge of psychic forces, enables him to read human life with unerring accuracy from infancy to old age. His powers are wonderful and indisputable; his advice is reliable, his information clear, concise and to the point in Love, Courtship, Marriage, Divorce, Sales, Wills, Patents, Journeys, Investments, Speculations, Property, Insurance, Mortgages, Oil and Mining Claims, etc., etc.

SECRET INFLUENCE.

He will teach you how to fascinate any one you desire; how to make your enemies your friends; cause a speedy marriage with the one of your choice.

(POWER OF CONTROL.)

The all-wise Creator did not endow you with high ideals, noble inspirations, desire for happiness and return for that great love-craving within your heart and breast, without at the same time placing within your reach the means for attaining those desires and wishes. PROF. MURDOCK knows how to control that POWER for your success. In this line of work PROF. MURDOCK recognizes no competition.

He will make you

SUCCESSFUL IN YOUR BUSINESS

and all other affairs
Pertaining to human welfare.
Permanently located at his own

RESIDENCE,
Corner 8th avenue and West 54th st.

Grand ave. car (Mesa Drive.) Hours, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sundays, 10 to 3. Evenings by appointment only. Home 70435; Vermont 702. Positively no letters answered.

PERSONAL—

MRS. MASSON,

the noted palmist, of London, England, may be consulted at

322 SOUTH SPRING STREET, by those desiring CAREFUL, CONSCIENTIOUS AND SCIENTIFIC HAND READINGS, FROM ONE OF THE FOREMOST PALMISTS OF THE DAY.

The earnest student and thinker will soon learn in his investigations along psychological lines that that which pertains to occult phenomena proper can readily be distinguished from crude and oft-exposed SLEIGHT-OF-HAND TRICKS, the most common of which is the telling of the subject's name, age, etc., AFTER HE HIMSELF HAS WRITTEN THAT information.

PALMISTRY HONESTLY PRACTICED WILL NOT tell your name, but it WILL give you information of considerably greater value in everyday life.

Your vocation, your present line of work, matters of health and domestic life, financial conditions and ways and means of climbing out of a rut of ill luck into wide paths of success and prosperity, can all be told you through scientific palmistry, WITHOUT A SINGLE QUESTION, WRITTEN OR VERBAL.

MRS. MASSON DOES NOT APPEAL TO IGNORANT SUPERSTITION, BUT TO THE FINEST INTELLIGENCE.

HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL—

$1000.
WORTH OF PROPERTY
TO GIVE TO THE
RIGHT MAN OR WOMAN,
WHO WILL PAY THE TAXES
FOR TEN YEARS.
WILL GUARANTEE VALUE AT THAT
TIME IN ACTUAL CASH.
GIVE FULL NAME, AGE,
OCCUPATION AND ADDRESS.
M, box 583, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

PERSONAL—IF A FRIEND IN TROUBLE NEEDS information or evidence, recommend NICK HARRIS DETECTIVES. They will get it if any one can. Men and women operatives for all walks of life. Also dictograph service; no charge for consultation. Main 3710, 322-4-6 BRYNE BLDG. F4002.

PERSONAL—PERSONAL—MRS. MASSON, the noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 322 S. SPRING ST., by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL — WILL ANYONE WHO SAW, OR knows anyone who saw the accident on Pico st., between Trenton and Figueroa, on Saturday, about 5:30 p.m., Dec. 23, in which a lady was knocked down and run over by taxi auto, kindly notify her husband, SAMUEL HUDSON, 928 Winfield st. Phones [illegible], Main 5008.

PERSONAL—PHYSICAL CULTURE, CALISTHENics, steam and electric cabinet sweats, Violet ray, vibratory and massage treatments. Operators both sexes. High-class patronage solicited. MALMO HEALTH INSTITUTE, 605 Baker-Detwiler Bldg.

PERSONAL—

HENLEY,
CALIFORNIA'S NOTED PSYCHIC.
Readings daily. See him. 217 W. THIRD.

PERSONAL—WOMEN'S DISEASES. ALL TROUbles, specialists. 312 W. THIRD, between Broadway and Hill, suite 203.

PERSONAL—WANTED—E. M. WITHERS TO GO to postoffice for letter from dad.

PERSONAL—
For quick action drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The location of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

FLORISTS AND NURSERIES—

WANTED—I PAY 15 CENTS FOR EACH TIED bundle of 100 rose cuttings, slips, over 5 inches, good varieties. Bring them to L. COLE, 1180 East 40th st.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS—

DOES YOUR ROOF LEAK?
If so we can repair it for half what you pay others.
Roof and siding paint at 40c a gallon. We guarantee our waterproof paint and roof work for five years.
EVERWEAR ROOF PAINT CO.,
2314 SAN PEDRO ST.
SOUTH 7563.

SCENARIOS DEVELOPED, BOOKS AND SHORT stories in manuscript translated, revised, criticised; typewritten and marketed; pen copies accepted. Melodies arranged. Song poems set to music. Personal representative call on all studios. M. M. DALEY, 716-717 Majestic Theater Bldg.

I WISH TO INFORM MY MANY FRIENDS THAT I have opened a real estate office, 434 HIGGINS BLDG., 2nd and Main. Room 434. Money to loan, insurance, exchanges. J. O. D. SHEARON.

TYPEWRITTEN LETTERS, 10c PAGE. MANUscripts typed. Mailings lists. Multigraphing. Open New Year's. Write a letter home. Notary Public. PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS, 401 Douglas Bldg., 3rd and Spring.

TREES—
Trimmed, pruned, topped, removed, tree surgery, tree diseases, planting plans, 15 years' experience. DAVID G. KINNEY, consulting forester, 453 Holland ave., Los Angeles. Garvanza 327.

WE ARE ON THE MARKET FOR GOOD SCEnario synopsis for 2 to 7-reel dramas or comedies. We also correct and type letters and manuscripts for 10 cents a page. 1232¼ W. NINTH. Phone Broadway 2082.

NOTICE—
CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS in the Sunday Times must be received before 5 p.m., Saturday. Classified "Want ads.," etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m., Saturdays.

LAST MINUTE SERVICE—
is not always satisfactory. Telephone your Sunday ads. to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

I PAY 15 CENTS FOR EACH TIED BUNDLE OF 100 rose cuttings, slips, over 5 inches, good varieties. Bring them to L. CALE, 1180 E. 40th st., or to L. M. ADAMS, 209 Laughlin Bldg.

ROOFS REPAIRED, ASPHALTED OR PAINTED. All work guaranteed, 15 years in business. F. A. BURKHART, The Roofer. Home phone 41263.

25C—SUITS SPONGED AND PRESSED—25C. Cleaned and pressed, 50c. Bring 'em to 507 W. SEVENTH STREET.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING, $1; FURNACE CLEANING, $1; repair furnaces, stoves. CAMPBELL, the furnace man. BROADWAY 4404.

1000 BUSINESS CARDS, $1; NONE BETTER; first-class printing; lowest prices. KERSTON'S, 707 S. Hill. Main 2800.

BUSINESS LETTERS TYPEWRITTEN, 10 CENTS PAGE. PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS, 705 FERGUSON BUILDING, THIRD AND HILL.

DOES YOUR ROOF LEAK?
BURKHART, the Roofer, repairs all kinds and guarantees them. Phone 22452. SOUTH 6640.

BUSINESS MAIL ADDRESS $1.00 PER MONTH. 705 FERGUSON BLDG., THIRD & HILL STS.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS—

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR REMOVED PERMANENTLY BY MRS. L. M. SMIDT'S FOLLICIDE METHOD.

LOS ANGELES "SHOWS THE WAY."

INTRODUCING

"FOLLICIDE"

"Trade Mark."

the painless, scientific and permanent remover of superfluous hair.

Not a depilatory or an electrolytic device.

The FOLLICIDE method of removing superfluous hair permanently and painlessly, has been demonstrated.

Unsolicited testimonials from scores of prominent users prove the success of the latest toilette necessity.

The feminine desire to appear to best advantage at all times demands the removal of all superfluous hair. FOLLICIDE DOES IT!

PAINLESSLY!!
PERMANENTLY!
SATISFACTORILY!

Ladies post yourselves on the latest toilet accessory. Best of references upon request. WRITE FOR BOOKLET

CONTAINING INTERESTING DETAILS.

Follicide for permanently removing superfluous hair.

Call for a demonstration.

FOLLICIDE CAN BE USED IN THE HOME, or treatments can be had at the L. M. SMIDT CO., 825 W. Ninth St. Phone for appointment. 53102—Bdwy. 990.

Your hairdresser can supply you, or buy it direct.

HAIRDRESSING,
MANICURING and
GENERAL TREATMENT
of the
HAIR, FACE, SCALP.
Hair Manufacturing.
Hair Goods and
Toilet Preparations for Sale.

Stop burning your hair with hot irons. Let us put in the "Water Wave," which is more permanent, has the appearance of the natural wave and absolutely will not injure the hair.

Eyelashes and long ones too, you can have them by using OLGES' EYELASH GROWER. Post paid $1 per jar.

SPECIAL OFFER.

Send or bring this coupon and receive 10 per cent. discount on everything above advertised.

L. M. SMIDT FOLLICIDE CO.,
825 WEST NINTH ST.,
Los Angeles, Cal.
53102. Bdwy. 990.

NEW YEAR'S DINNERS—

SPECIAL
NEW YEAR'S
DINNER
AND
PROGRAM.
HIGH-CLASS
ENTERTAINMENT—
THE
SEASON'S BEST
LOS ANGELES'
MOST
BRILLIANT CABARET.
PHONE FOR
RESERVATIONS.
NEW
LOUVRE CAFE,
306 SOUTH SPRING ST.,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

AT
ORPHEUM INN,
618 S. BROADWAY.
(Adjoining the Orpheum.)
Broadway 7093. Home A6404.
OPEN ALL NIGHT.
Candies, Lunches, Ice Cream, Soda Water, Pies and Pastry.
NEW YEAR'S DINNER,
JANUARY 1ST,
12 noon to 3 p.m.
Candy Delivered Every Day. To any part of the City.
OPEN ALL NIGHT.

ORIENTAL CAFE—
445 SOUTH MAIN ST.
SPECIAL
NEW YEAR'S
TURKEY
DINNER.
TABLE D'HOTE, $1.00.
HIGH-CLASS
CABARET ENTERTAINMENT.
ORIENTAL CAFE,
445 S. MAIN ST.

EUROPA CAFE—
739 SOUTH MAIN ST.
NEW YEAR'S DAY.
Special
TURKEY DINNER
Served All Day.
From 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Real Italian dishes served in the Famous Europa Style. You will enjoy your dinner with us.
Private Dining Rooms.
Liquor Served.
Phone for reservations.
A6530. Main 7119.

NEW YEAR'S DINNERS,
DURING THE HOLIDAYS AT THE
WALDORF
CAFE.
618-20-22 EAST FOURTH ST.
at Stanford Ave.
We have secured the best colored entertainers in America for a limited engagement. First appearance On the Pacific Coast.
LOTS O' PEP.
REAL BOHEMIAN
SERVICE AND COMPANY.
"OH, SO, DIFFERENT!"

ENJOY YOUR
NEW YEAR'S DINNER
AT THE
MEXICAN-SPANISH
CAFETERIA.
SPANISH CABARET IN COSTUME, 7 TO 12 EVERY EVENING.
156-158 N. SPRING ST.
TURKEY, OF COURSE.
ALL KINDS OF MEXICAN AND SPANISH DISHES.
ENCHILADAS AND TAMALES
OUR SPECIALTY.
LIQUOR SERVED WITH MEALS.
JOSE SANROMAN, PROP.

EAT—
AND MAKE MERRY
AT THE
PEACOCK
GRILL.
322 W. 3RD St.

HOLIDAY SPECIALS—

FINE VIOLINS, EXPERT REPAIRING. WE sell for less. VIOLIN SHOP, 817 W. Sixth.

HOLIDAY SPECIALS—

FOR SALE—HAWAIIAN UKULELES, NOW ONLY $3.25, complete with case and book, sent postpaid for $500 cash. With order. LINBERG MUSIC CO., 219 W. 2nd.

CIGARS—7—20—4, 10 CENTS, AND DEXTER, 5 cents. GILE, distributor, 560 S. Main, Lobby Kerckhoff Bldg.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—WIDE-AWAKE, PROGRESSIVE SALESman. Must have machine or motorcycle in order to cover territory. Allowance made for upkeep of same. Excellent place for young man wishing to work up to permanent, splendid paying position. Commission proposition with salary guarantee of $15 per week. Do not apply unless permanent position is wanted. Only well-appearing man desired. Address P, box 215, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MACHINIST, THOROUGHLY CAPABLE OF ADJUSTING AND REPAIRING ALL CLASSES OF SEWING MACHINES FOR FACTORY WORK. ADDRESS M, BOX 574, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — YOUNG MEN WHO ARE WORKING at starvation wages to call on me and investigate my course in assaying and cyaniding. Men who were only earning $60 a month now are earning from $125 to $150 monthly. Why work at a trade you dislike at small wages when you can learn the genteel profession of assaying and cyaniding and command a respectable salary? Call at HEDGES LABORATORY, 625½ South Spring st. (See Learn Trades Ads.)

WANTED—2 EXPERIENCED ELEVATOR BOYS, over 20, to prepare for Los Angeles positions in the FEDERAL CUSTODIAN SERVICE; starting salary $60; permanent. SPECIAL ENTRANCE EXAMINATION JANUARY 13. For preliminary training see immediately MR. HOFF, 629-30 Security Bldg. Hours, Monday (New Year's Day,) 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., or any time Tuesday or Tuesday evening, 7 to 8:30. (See Inst. adv.)

WANTED—$160 PER MONTH—
—As an assayer is the salary paid a young man who only a few months ago was a poorly paid cigar salesman. His previous employment offered no future at all but since studying assaying a world of opportunity has been presented to him. You can accomplish all that he has if you will study assaying and cyaniding. Enroll now. Maybe your chance is just ahead of you. METALLURGICAL RESEARCH LABORATORY, 926 S. Hill st. (See Inst. ad.)

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, YOUNG MEN OVER 18, good physical condition, to prepare for good GOVERNMENT positions, POSTOFFICE CLERKS, CITY LETTER CARRIERS and RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS. Opportunities now, entrance examination soon. Salaries starting about $70 to $75 monthly. Regular advancement. See AT ONCE MISS WILSON, 601 Roberts Bldg., 3rd and Main. (See Inv. Adv.)

WANTED—
High school boy to work after school hours and on Saturdays. Prefer boy that wishes to learn advertising. Chance to make good earnings while attending school. Apply MR. SAYLOR, Second Floor Times Building. Any evening after 4 p.m.

WANTED—MEN LEARN AUTOMOBILE REPAIRing, driving, acetylene welding, ignition, machine shop practice, in best equipped school on coast; established 1905; 3000 successful graduates. Enroll now and get our $40 course free. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 809 S. Figueroa. (See Inst. Adv.)

WANTED — BOOK-KEEPERS, ACCOUNTANTS, auditors, with selling experience, to solicit members for Educational Institute. Free employment service. Leads furnished. Permanent and profitable position to men who can qualify. Address 630 BLACK BLDG. Ask for Mr. Wilson.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPERS GIVEN SPECIAL discount who register for higher accountancy instruction during first ten days of January. Work can be done at home. Free employment service. ACCOUNTANTS' EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE, 626-631 Black Bldg. See Instruction ad.

WANTED—AI ADVERTISING SPECIALTY SALESmen, city and travel, average our men closing one merchant per day. $15 paid on each order secured, half of the commission at once on every contract. References required. SOUTHERN MANUFACTURERS CO., 300 Lankershim Bldg.

WANTED—MORE MEN TO TEACH ASSAYING and cyaniding, day and night classes, at HEDGES', 625½ S. Spring st. What the other fellow has done you can do. Earn $125 per month. (See "Learn Trades" ad.) HEDGES' LABORATORY, 625½ S. Spring st.

WANTED—LOGICAL TALKERS, CAPABLE OF meeting strangers, can quickly clear $10,000; field unlimited; best proposition ever offered; detail your qualifications by letters. HULBERT, 415 W. Washington.

WANTED—SEVERAL MEN, YOUNG AND MIDdle-aged, but must be under 35, fair education, to coach for government railway mail clerks. Fine starting salary now, excellent advancement. MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. (See Inst. adv.)

WANTED—HEAD WAITER. A COMPETENT and experienced head waiter for commercial country hotel; $80 and room and board. State experience. Address N, box 198, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED JOB PRINTER AND typesetter to operate small shop, connected with mercantile establishment. Must be sober and reliable. State experience, reference and salary expected. Address O, box 272, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — MEN, JUST SENDING OUT MORE students to the mines in Arizona, Nevada and Colorado; lowest salary $125 a month; taught them assaying, etc. Let me teach you. HEDGES, 625½ S. Spring st. (See "Learn Trades" ad.)

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPERS: CALL OR WRITE for free illustrated booklet on how to increase your earnings. ACCOUNTANTS' EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE, 626-631 Black Bldg. See Instruction ad.

WANTED—BANJO PLAYER, GOOD COON SONG and ragtime artist, to introduce the "Nigger Rag," a song which promises to be a big hit. W. H. RUSSELL, Wilshire 2942.

WANTED—TWO FIRST-CLASS MACHINISTS FOR shop in Kern county. Must be fast on lathe work and under 40 years of age. Address B, box 75, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—2 FIRST-CLASS MACHINISTS FOR shop in Kern county. Must be fast on lathe work and under 40 years of age. Address N, box 70, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$75 TO $200 A MONTH FOR YOU! Prepare for a better position. Civil service, secretarial or reporting. See Instruction adv., MODERN BUSINESS COLLEGE.

WANTED—GO TO THE MINES AND EARN BIG salaries as assay and cyanide men; my students have averaged $125 monthly. HEDGES, 625½ S. Spring st. (See "Learn Trades" ad.)

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, WAGES $75 PER month, only a middle-aged unmarried man who can produce best references. Address K, box 589, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—BOYS WITH BICYCLES TO CARRY shoes between our stores. Must be 18 or over. Salary $8 a week to start. Apply Tuesday, 8 a.m. 629 SOUTH BROADWAY.

WANTED—FOREMAN EXPERIENCED IN WALnut growing for ranch; must bring references from former employers in that line. No children. 3028 WEST EIGHTH ST.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN STENOGRAPHER: MUST be of good family, good penman and not afraid of work; a rare opportunity. Call Tuesday morning, 811 TRACTION AVE.

WANTED—BOY FOR STOCK CLERK; ONE WITH automobile experience preferred; $5 per week to start. Apply early Monday. D. & H. SERVICE CO., 1330 W. 16th st.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CARPENTER, PLUMBer, painter (out of work) who can use furnished steam-heated apartment. 942 HOOVER. 51328.

WANTED—MEN TO KNOW THAT MORE OF MY students are leaving for the mines. (See "Learn Trades" ad.) HEDGES LABORATORY, 625½ S. Spring st.

WANTED—AMBITIOUS YOUNG MAN CAN EARN a free scholarship at MODERN BUSINESS COLLEGE, Public Library Bldg. F7339. See Ins. Course adv.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE SALESMAN FOR Peck's West Basin Harbor Tract. See LEVY, 419 Marsh-Strong Bldg., 9th and Spring sts.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL TO DELIVER; good pay. Apply WILSHIRE PHARMACY, Seventh and Hoover.

WANTED—LEARN ACTUAL AUTO REPAIRING. Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL. (See Instruction Course Adv.)

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, YOUNG MAN, $50 to start. PACIFIC SERVICE CO., 531 Mason Bldg.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL TO WORK IN wholesale house. 700 BROADWAY CENTRAL BLDG.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WHO KNOWS SOMEthing about plumbing material. Give reference and where working last. Address P, box 152, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOY OR GIRL OVER 18 WITH EXperience in grocery. 900 E. 9TH ST. Call before 2 p.m.

WANTED—A MOTORCYCLE BOY, ALSO 2 WHEEL boys. Apply at once, VANCE DRUG CO., Fourth and Broadway.

WANTED—PANTS PRESSER. CALL SUNDAY and Monday, 9 to 12. 114 SOUTH SPRING, ROOM 5.

WANTED—COLLEGE GRADUATE TO TEACH part time in exchange for board and room. Address P, box 287, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LEARN STENOGRAPHY, BOOKkeeping, etc., at Y.M.C.A. SCHOOLS. Good situations assured. 715 S. HOPE. (See Ins. Ad.)

WANTED—50 CORDS GUM WOOD, CUT ON shares, one-fifth to owner. WM. BAKER, Piru, Cal.

WANTED — THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED salesmen for linen and bedding departments. Address K, box 599, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—GENTLEMAN OR LADY, PUBLIC EDUcational work. Call Tuesday, 206 BYRNE BLDG., 3rd and Bdwy.

WANTED—ONE DIE MAKER AND 2 TINNERS. BOYLE MANUFACTURING CO., 51st and Santa Fe.

WANTED—AMERICAN HIGH SCHOOL BOY TO do housework for room and board. WEST 2262, 21201.

WANTED—Y. M. C. A. TECHNICAL SCHOOL OFfers long or short courses, day or evening; new term January 2. (See Instruction ad.)

WANTED—DRAFTSMAN WITH OIL ENGINE experience, graduate with 7 years' experience. Address P, box 66, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—NEW TERM AT Y. M. C. A. SCHOOLS open January 2. 715 S. HOPE. (Instruction ad.)

WANTED—3 UNION CABINETMAKERS. CALL early Tuesday at CALIFORNIA SHOWCASE CO., 646 Maple ave.

WANTED — A COMMANDANT FOR MILITARY school for young boys; must be a college man. Address N, box 77, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN TO WORK IN ICE cream shop. MUETH'S, 2630 S. Grand ave.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

NOTE.—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

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WANTED—SALESMEN.

ARE YOU A REAL ESTATE SALESMAN?

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We have the best selling industrial property at Los Angeles Harbor.

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Prosperity has reached the Coast and we are looking forward to the best year in the history of Los Angeles real estate.

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W. L. TWINING, SALES MANAGER,
F. P. NEWPORT COMPANY,
206 Central Bldg. Los Angeles, California.

WANTED—ACREAGE SALESMEN TO JOIN THE MOST SUCCESSFUL ORGANIZATION IN LOS ANGELES. WE HAVE 16 MEN NOW PRODUCING.
$5000 IN PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTED MONTHLY.
SEE MR. RICE AT 9 A.M. TOMORROW.
NICKERSON & WATERBURY,
512 S. Hill st. Broadway 518.

WANTED—AT ONCE, FEW BRIGHT CLERKS. Over 21, high school or business college education, to prepare for CUSTOMHOUSE and INTERNAL REVENUE positions. ENTRANCE EXAMINATION now called for February 3. Good starting salary and fine future. IMMEDIATE ACTION NECESSARY. For successful coaching see MR. HOFF, 629-30 Security Bldg. Hours, Monday (New Year's Day,) 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., or any time Tuesday or Tuesday evening, 7 to 8:30. (See Inst. adv.)

WANTED—
IMMEDIATELY.
10 CAPABLE MEN, good business education, over 21, to prepare for CUSTOMHOUSE and INTERNAL REVENUE positions. ENTRANCE EXAMINATION NOW CALLED FOR FEBRUARY 3. Good starting salary, fine future. IMMEDIATE ACTION NECESSARY. For successful coaching SEE MR. HOFF, 629-30 Security Bldg. Hours, Monday (New Year's Day,) 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., or any time Tuesday or Tuesday evening, 7 to 8:30. (See Inst. adv.)

WANTED—
GRASP IT.
Here is your opportunity to get out of that rut you are in. Learn to be an Assayer, Cyanide or Flotation man and earn $150 per month doing pleasant and fascinating work. There is a demand for labor of this class and it offers unlimited opportunities for advancement to positions of responsibility. Enroll now for only a few students can be properly cared for.
METALLURGICAL RESEARCH LABORATORY,
926 South Hill St.
(See Inst. Adv.)

WANTED — MEN, FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS I have taught book-keepers, clerks, electricians, machinists, stenographers, doctors, dentists, carmen, etc., the profession of assaying, cyaniding and oil flotation and sent them to the mines at an average salary of $125 a month. If you are in a rut, get out of it. Let me teach you the trade. HEDGES LABORATORY, 625½ S. Spring st. (See learn trades ad.)

WANTED—A FEW BRIGHT YOUNG MEN OVER 18, to prepare for LOS ANGELES POSTOFFICE CLERKS AND LETTER CARRIERS. Good beginning salary, fine promotion. See MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. (See Inst. Adv.)

WANTED — ANY GRADUATE FROM HEDGES' laboratory out of employment to send me his address; want you short notice; have many calls; mining is booming. H. E. HEDGES, 625½ S. Spring st. (See "Learn Trades" ad.)

WANTED—FOR OUR GREAT SEMI-ANNUAL King Cotton Sale, experienced salesmen for silks, dress goods, draperies, sheets, sheetings, cotton wash goods and kindred lines. Apply at once. JACOBY BROS. (INC.)

WANTED—MEN TO KNOW FOUR MORE OF MY students have left for the mines; lowest salary $125 monthly; better learn the trade; mining is booming. (See "Learn Trades" ad.) HEDGES LABORATORY, 625½ S. Spring st.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO ASSIST IN OFFICE after school. Half tuition for services. Catalogue and information free. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE. See Instruction Adv.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS COLORED JANITOR with reference. Apply 208 MERCANTILE PLACE.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—HAVE A SPLENDID MONEY-MAKing proposition, representing an eastern concern, which is over 50 years in business, need party with small capital; routine office work, also meeting the public. Will be pleased to show what I have. State your references. Address K, box 405, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST IN OFFICE, some outside work, $150 cash required. 428 INVESTMENT BLDG.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE $600, READ RARE OPPORTUNITY in today's business chances.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED—$75 TO $200 A MONTH FOR YOU. Prepare for a better position. Civil service, secretarial or reporting. THE BEST night school in L. A. Six expert teachers; $12 for 12 weeks. See Instruction adv. MODERN BUSINESS COLLEGE (The Gregg-Underwood School.) F7339.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPERS GIVEN SPECIAL discount who register for higher accountancy instruction during 1st 10 days of January. Work can be done at home. Free employment service. ACCOUNTANTS' EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE, 626-631 Black Bldg. See Inst. Ad.

WANTED—AT ONCE, A FIRST-CLASS HAIRdresser and manicurist. Must be able to help with hair work and must be a good saleswoman, good position for the right person. Call or address MISS DALGARNO, 136 West Ocean, Long Beach.

WANTED—COOK, $40; DOWNSTAIRS AND COOKing, $40; cook for club, $40; housemaid for 1 adult, $35; second maid (under 30,) $35; French nurse maid, $30; housemaid, 2 adults and baby, $30; girl to assist with baby, $25. MRS. BRADSTREET, 2015 S. Grand ave.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPERS, CALL OR WRITE for free illustrated booklet on how to increase your earnings. ACCOUNTANTS' EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE, 626-631 Black Bldg. See Inst. Ad.

WANTED—LOGICAL TALKERS, CAPABLE OF meeting strangers, can quickly clear $10,000; field unlimited; best proposition ever offered; detail your qualifications by letters. HULBERT, 415 W. Washington.

WANTED—WOMAN TO REPRESENT A GUARanteed corset, all towns, California; corsetieres are earning from $50 to $200 per month. Write for style book and plan. NU BONE, 222 W. Ninth, Los Angeles.

WANTED—A LADY AGE [illegible] OR 30 AS CHAMbermaid for 2 cottages; make your inquiry at 764 SANTEE, by letter; state wages and phone number. Prefer party to stay on place at one of the houses.

WANTED—FOR OUR GREAT SEMI-ANNUAL King Cotton Sale experienced saleswomen for silks, dress goods, draperies, sheets, sheetings, cotton wash goods and kindred lines. Apply at once. JACOBY BROS. (INC.)

WANTED—YOU CAN EARN BOARD, ROOM AND tuition while attending our day classes. Information and catalogue free. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE. (See Instruction adv.)

WANTED — LADIES. GOOD OPPORTUNITY learn beauty culture. LEADER COLLEGE, 228 Mercantile place. MRS. HARRIS. (See ad. to learn trades.)

WANTED—LADIES TO ASSIST IN OFFICE after school; half tuition for services. Information and catalogue free. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE. (See Instruction adv.)

WANTED—PHOTO PLAYERS LEARN BEAUTY culture. FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, oldest, largest. 227 Mercantile Place. See "Educational."

WANTED—GIRLS FOR LIGHT OFFICE POSItions. Free course in stenography and bookkeeping for services. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE. Main 4796. F8103.

WANTED—WOMAN OR GIRL AS MOTHER'S helper, moderate pay, good home in small family, for some one. Call 3520 HOBART BLVD., or phone Vermont 2613.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, small family, $5 week, room and board. Call at 1466 MILTON AVE. today, near Hollywood High School, or Phone 579729 today.

WANTED—TEACHER EXPERIENCED FIRST grade, strong in primary reading. California certificate. PACIFIC TEACHERS' AGENCY, 531 Mason Bldg.

WANTED—WAITRESSES, STEADY WORK; ALSO extra girls for dinner work. Apply at once to head waitress, HOTEL ROSSLYN, corner Fifth and Main.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESLADY, UNDERstanding china, glass and silverware. Apply with references. JANTZEN-KAILBACH CO., 342 S. Broadway.

WANTED—GIRLS TO LEARN, AS OPERATORS ON hats and caps. Power machines. Apply Tuesday, 122 W. THIRD ST., room 422.

WANTED — WOMAN, COMPETENT COOK AND general housework; only first-class need apply, mornings; good wages. 3106 S. FIGUEROA ST.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED HAND TO MAKE over furs; also competent seamstress; willing to assist with housework. 942 HOOVER. 51328.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BUTTONHOLE MAKER on men's coats. Apply ROOM 35, Canadian Building.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BODY IRONER, ALSO ladies' clothes ironer. Apply [illegible] LAUNDRY, 424 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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FAMILY COOK, 2 IN FAMILY, CITY, $60; ANother, 4 in family, city, $50; another, February 1st, city, $35; governess, 5 years, would take English, city, $40; second maid, Santa Barbara, $40; girl for general housework, 3 in family, city, $45; another, 3 in family, in apartment-house, no laundry, city, $45; German working housekeeper, city, $45; many general housework places for competent girls, 2, 3 and more in family, $30 to $40; waitress, tourist hotel, $30, room and board; Chinese cook, city, $50. We wish you all a Happy New Year. Closed New Year's. Open Tuesday.

HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
Mrs. Ehle, Manager.
312 West 3rd st. Second floor.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SHIRT OPERATORS FOR POWER MACHINES. VERY BEST WAGES PAID. ONLY EXPERIENCED NEED APPLY. F. A. NEWMARK AND COMPANY, 808 S. LOS ANGELES ST. APPLY TUESDAY.

WANTED—DISTRICT SALES MANAGER, EACH State, by manufacturing company. Must be woman of unquestioned ability, a tireless worker, not afraid of meeting the public herself, and capable of directing others. No investment but able to furnish bond, if required. Detail fully age, qualifications, experience, references. Address K, box 530, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — COMPETENT COAT AND SUIT SALESWOMEN, PERMANENT POSITIONS AND EXTRA WORK. DON'T APPLY UNLESS EXPERIENCED. BON TON, 347 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED POWER MACHINE OPERATORS ON GOLF AND NEGLIGEE SHIRTS. APPLY THE FACTORY OF BROWNSTEIN LOUIS CO., 716 E. LOS ANGELES ST. (ONLY EXPERIENCED OPERATORS NEED APPLY.)

WANTED—WOMAN FOR BUSY DOCTOR'S REception-room, age 25 to 40; typist with some experience in correspondence preferred, fine appearance essential; good salary and fine future. Call Wednesday, F. S. BEAVIS, "AGENCY FOR EVERYTHING HUMAN FOR THE OFFICE," Investment Bldg.

WANTED—FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, CAPable middle-aged woman, unencumbered, in family of 3 adults, desire woman who wants good permanent home. Answer by letter to box address, stating wages expected and give references. Address O, box 297, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WE HAVE SEVERAL POSITIONS open on January 2nd with leading business firms for young ladies who desire the practical office experience, while taking a complete course in shorthand and typewriting. If interested call at 800 KNICKERBOCKER BLDG., on or before that date.

WANTED—2 LADIES OF CULTURE AND REFINEment to represent a NATIONAL INSTITUTION. Applicants must be under 35 years of good appearance, pleasing personality, willing to travel in California. Answer, stating age, experience, giving details, etc. Address N, box 76, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$2 SALARY PER DAY IF YOU CAN sell 24 toilet goods to friends. A. CORENSON, 616½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN, LOTS OF GENeral housework at COLEMAN'S, the old reliable. Broadway 2100.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED OPERATOR ON POWer machine, ladies' neckwear. SYLVIA CO., 752 South Los Angeles.

WANTED — MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN, LIGHT services for room and board. 1561 OXLEY COURT, South Pasadena.

WANTED—WOMAN FOR HOUSEWORK AND DAY work, Glendale Employment Office, Phone GLENDALE 667-W.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FOR OFFICE, EXchange for tuition. CENTRAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

WANTED—A CLEAN COMPETENT WOMAN FOR mixed work in a boarding school. May bring young son. Address P, box 298, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LADY USED TO MEETING PUBLIC, no canvassing or investment, part or whole time. Address P, box 137, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WINDERS AND SEWING MACHINE operators for knitting department. Apply Tuesday. MYERS MFG. CO., 228 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE SALESLADIES FOR Peck's West Basin Harbor Tract. See LEVY, 419 Marsh-Strong Bldg., 9th and Spring sts.

WANTED—10 WOMEN TO PICK OUT WALNUT meats, piecework. Apply 823 TRACTION AVE. Take E. Fourth st. car, get off at Avery st.

WANTED—WOMAN TO DO UPSTAIRS WORK, $15 per month and board. Apply 5300 SANTA FE AVENUE.

WANTED — RELIABLE CATHOLIC WOMAN AS working housekeeper. Phone F5158, or call at 1030 SUNSET BLVD.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED OPERATORS ON SILK waists; steady work and good pay. BERLINER, 738 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEWORK. N.E. CORNER FIRST AND NORTON.

WANTED—A GIRL TO WAIT ON TABLES. Apply 233 W. THIRD. Call this morning.

WANTED—WOMAN TO WORK FROM 1 TO 5 p.m., $4 per week. Inquire 835 S. GRAND.

WANTED—A GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK. 850 S. WILTON PLACE. Phone 568198.

WANTED—GIRLS. NEW VERNON BASKET CO., 52nd and Santa Fe ave.

WANTED—MARKER AND DISTRIBUTORS. Apply EMPIRE LAUNDRY, 1140 Crocker.

WANTED—YOUNG WHITE GIRL FOR GENERAL housework and cooking. PHONE 71550.

WANTED—A WOMAN TO DO MENDING 4 HOURS daily. 809 S. ALVARADO.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER. FASHION SHOP, 290 E. Colorado st., Pasadena.

WANTED—WOMAN FOR RANCH TO COOK AND keep house. Call COLOROSSI, Broadway 5416.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MANGLE GIRLS. Apply STERLING LAUNDRY, 777 Clanton st.

WANTED — BUTTON-HOLE MAKER ON FINE coats. 432 S. MAIN. Room 30.

WANTED—LAUNDRY IRONER AT 1516 LONG BEACH AVE.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL COOK AND HOUSEKEEPer. PHONE 74862.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED COUPLE, MAN AND wife, or lady and daughter, to take charge of mining company hotel, Arizona; 100 steady boarders; good salary to right party. Address B, box 168, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FOR "THE GARDEN OF ALLAH," 25 white men and women and 25 colored men and women. Apply stage entrance, MASON OPERAHOUSE, Monday, January 1, at 11 a.m.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED — MEN, I HAVE TAUGHT DOZENS the trade of assaying and cyaniding. They are now earning large salaries. Let me show you. HEDGES, 625½ South Spring st.

WANTED—LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, HAIR manufacturing. LEADER COLLEGE OF HAIRDRESSING, 228 Mercantile place, MRS. HARRIS.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (Instruction Course.)

WANTED—DRESSMAKERS AND AMBITIOUS LADIES HANDY WITH THE NEEDLE CAN INCREASE THEIR EARNINGS. LEARN ROSENBLEET'S PERFECT SYSTEM, FAMOUS FOR CUTTING AND DESIGNING, MODEL FITTING PATTERNS, LATEST STYLES. WASTE NO TIME WITH BRASS CHARTS OR OTHER COMPLICATED METHODS—NEVER RECOGNIZED BY THE TRADE AN ABSOLUTE FACT. ENTER A RELIABLE, LONG ESTABLISHED SCHOOL. ROSENBLEET'S COLLEGE, 215 SOUTH BDWY., 3RD FLOOR. MOST THOROUGH AND PRACTICAL. PROFESSIONAL GARMENT MAKING ALSO TAUGHT.

WANTED—STUDENTS, CIVIL SERVICE, SECRETARIAL, REPORTING, FRENCH, commercial Spanish (conversational method,) stenographic, English, book-keeping courses. MODERN BUSINESS COLLEGE, A SELECT SCHOOL. Best location, Public Library Bldg., Fifth and Broadway. Staff of six EXPERT, experienced, certified Gregg and Normal teachers. C. A. GROMMET, principal. F7339.

WANTED—1917 SPECIAL (3 MONTHS $25.) Gregg shorthand, touch typewriting, bookkeeping, English, spelling, penmanship, Comptometer, Dictaphone, Elliott-Fisher. CENTRAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

WANTED—ACCOUNTANTS' EDUCATIONAL INstitute, 626-631 Black Bldg. Higher accountancy. Commercial Spanish. Call or write for booklet.

WANTED—YOU CAN EARN PART OR ALL EXpenses while attending day classes. Catalogue and information free. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE.

WANTED—RAGTIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT in 20 lessons; write for booklet. CHRISTENSEN SCHOOL OF POPULAR MUSIC, 23 Walker Theater Bldg. Main 2176. F6788.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN, STUDY ASSAYING, cyaniding and flotation and earn $150 per month. Big opportunities await you. 926 So. HILL ST.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN, PREPARE FOR RAILway mail clerks. MISS WILSON, 601 Wesley Roberts Bldg.

WANTED—PEOPLE FOR PRACTICAL TRAINING in motion picture acting. HOLLYWOOD PHOTOPLAY STUDIO, 5624 Virginia ave. Phone 59162.

WANTED—EXPERT AUTOMOBILE INSTRUCtion. Low rates. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 807 S. Figueroa. Catalogue free.

WANTED—SEE Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL. GET started right. 731 S. HOPE.

WANTED — MEN TO PREPARE FOR GOVERNment positions; good pay. MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg.

WANTED—SALESMEN—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—
COUNTY AGENTS
TO SELL
Tellver Puncture-proof Tubes. This high-grade tube is guaranteed against punctures for 5000 miles; $250 gives you stock and exclusive handling of the only guaranteed puncture-proof tube on the market. A. L. [illegible], State Agent, Northern Hotel, Los Angeles.

WANTED—SALESMEN, MARRIED MEN, BUSIness experience, to learn life insurance business on special contract. Leads furnished, with special assistance. Opportunity to get in right. Give phone number. Address L, box 391, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — TWO EXPERIENCED SPECIALTY salesmen, exclusive territory; fast selling article. Strictly first-class proposition for high-grade men only. Apply Tuesday and Wednesday before 10 a.m., 504 Black Bldg. Ask for Mr. BLANCHARD.

WANTED—LOGICAL TALKERS, CAPABLE OF meeting strangers, can quickly clear $10,000; field unlimited; best proposition ever offered; detail your qualifications by letters. HULBERT, 415 W. Washington.

WANTED—AGENTS FOR OUR HOT WATER BAG repair outfits; anyone can do it; complete instructions with outfit, 25 cents; bottles; bank [illegible] of, guarantee; bank references. WHITLOCK, 2211 American, Long Beach, Cal.

WANTED—AGENTS—MY HOUSEHOLD ARTICLE is needed in every home. Demonstration convinces housewives. Particulars free. Write today. L. M. MEDICK, 813 Lincoln ave., Glendale, Calif.

WANTED — SALES REPRESENTATIVE FOR wholesale and retail trade in every city, staple sideline, $25 to $250 monthly, depending on size. Write or call KERKES, 616½ S. Broadway, Los Angeles.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED JEWELRY SALESMAN. State age and experience. Must be able to give good references. Address N, box 60, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—30 AGENTS CAN EARN $1.00 TO $7 per day. CALIFORNIA OPPORTUNITIES EXCHANGE, box 111, Arcade station, Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—SALESMAN ABLE TO SELL WOMEN'S wear to dry goods and department stores; experience needed. Salary or commission. Address K, box 166, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SALESMEN WITH EXPERIENCE IN collection agency business, highest commission paid and best contracts. Call 834 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

WANTED—SALESMAN FOR MERCHANT TAILORing; salary and commission; must have some trade of his own. Address M, box 578, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — CITY AND DISTRICT SALESMEN for roofing; remunerative proposition. 814 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

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WANTED—POSITION.
FIRST CLASS JAPANESE, 27, COOK AND LAUNDRYMAN, NO HOUSEWORK, 10 YEARS' EXPERIENCE, BIG PRIVATE FAMILY; HAVE GOOD REFERENCES; CITY OR COUNTRY. ADDRESS FRANK SHIMIDU, 318 E. FIRST ST. PHONE MORNINGS, 9 TO 12, HOME A8131.

WANTED — POSITION AS ASST. PURCHASING agent, storekeeper, shipping clerk or any position calling for an alert young man whose business experience is limited; in Southern California, have been with [illegible] corp. Will accept anything from $90 month up. Address O, box 213, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WELL EXPERIENCED HOTEL, RESTaurant man, 42 years of age, single, with A-1 references; had charge of various first-class places East and in California; also capable of handling female help; is looking for position as steward or head waiter. Kindly address P, box 96, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS RANCH SUPERINTENDent or manager, have had several years' practical experience in California and Arizona. Can furnish best of references. Located here temporarily. Address 1324 15TH STREET, Douglas, Ariz.

WANTED—CAFE MAN WITH EXTENSIVE EXPErience wants position as manager of cafe, and where ability will count, can give best references, also cash bond if required. Address K, box 580, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—GARDENER, EXPERIENCED IN ALL [illegible] business would like to take charge of a private place. Good cut flower grower. Good references. CHAS. MITTER, 905 East Fifth st., city.

WANTED—ATTORNEY, 35 YEARS OLD, HAVING years professional and business experience, desires position with responsible business concern or in law office. References. Telephone Vermont 500, or write 4252 BRIGHTON AVE.

WANTED — POSITION BY YOUNG AMERICAN, young man recently from Boston, experienced warehouse, stenographer, general ability, etc. [illegible] Address O, box 200, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GENERAL MERCHANDISE MAN, EXtensively experienced, wishes position with country store, capable of managing; abstainer of liquor or tobacco; references. Address MERCHANDISE, WILLOUGHBY HOTEL.

WANTED—BY MECHANIC HAVING EXTENSIVE experience in the management of men and the best methods to reduce cost of production. Best references. Address P, box 277, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS SALESMAN, COLLECTor or store manager by experienced, tactful hustler; speaks four languages; moderate salary until results win recognition. Address P, box 42, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE CHAUFFEUR, SEVERAL years' experience, careful driver, good mechanic, and an honest, reliable young man desires position in private family, best of references. F2152.

WANTED—I WANT A POSITION AS RANCH foreman or work ranch on shares. Imperial Valley preferred. California experience, 40 years old and married. Can give references. Address LM, box 18, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TRUSTWORTHY YOUNG MAN ATtending Y.M.C.A. schools wishes to work outside of school hours for board. Call 10432, MAIN 5820. Vocational dept.

WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED GARDENER WHO understands care of poultry and all general work; good references. Address [illegible], TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR IN PRIvate family, 8 years' experience, understand repairs; references. THOMAS LEE, 345 Marchessault st. China 581.

WANTED—SITUATION BY ALL AROUND MAchinist capable of handling men and running business; best references. Can begin immediately. Address N, box 67, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY A FIRST-CLASS BOOKkeeper, am O. K. in every respect, references, can operate a typewriter, moderate salary. Address K, box 583, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED AND CAPABLE salesman wants city position with reliable firm. Can develop business. Address P, box 53, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED JAPANESE CHAUFfeur, position in private family; will do gardening; have references. STANLEY, 327 South Grand.

WANTED—APARTMENT-HOUSE WORK BY RE-liable Chinese boy, A-1 references. Address CHINESE MISSION, 415½ N. Los Angeles st., City.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN HAVING FORD WISHes job at anything, either with or without car; part or all the time. East 2966. Address O, box 280, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER WANTS POSITION; neat, accurate, willing to go out of town. MOSTYN, McCORKELL, 920 S. Spring st. Phone A1658.

WANTED — POSITION BY EXPERIENCED COST accountant; systematizer and efficiency engineer, open for engagement Jan. 1. MR. HENRY, A8032.

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, SITUATION AS chauffeur, careful driver, mechanic, references, city or country. Address F. C. C., 911½ So. BROADWAY.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, MARRIED, DESIRES position; experienced, capable driver and mechanic, 7 years' experience. Excellent references. 28474.

WANTED — SITUATION, CARPENTER, GOOD American mechanic, low wages, new or repair; references. Phone MAIN 4410.

WANTED—COLORED JANITOR WANTS POSItion, best of city references. Phone SOUTH 4304-W.

WANTED—SITUATION, COLORED CHAUFFEUR, reliable, trustworthy, city references, 12 years' experience. W. McCLURE, 831 San Pedro st. Main 6410.

WANTED—YOUNG STRONG MAN, 25, WANTS work with tools, wants position. Address P, box 232, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY JAPANESE CHAUFfeur. Can do repair work. Please address FRANK TESHIBA, 1124 Georgia st., city.

WANTED—MARRIED MAN WANTS POSITION as milker; have references. Address N, box 181, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, JAPANESE AS SCHOOLboy, speaks English well. Please address PAUL S. AAYAMA, 1618-1618½ E. Flower st., city.

WANTED—EXPERT MASSEUR WANTS TO GO AS butler or valet anywhere. Address P, box 34, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY RELIABLE, MIDDLE-AGED MAN, situation as gardener or houseman. Phone HOLLYWOOD 1833.

WANTED—POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS COLored chauffeur. Mechanic, 8 years' experience. SOUTH 5031-R.

WANTED—SMALL SETS BOOKS TO KEEP BY competent accountant. Local references. Address P, box 52, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS ELECtrician, conduit, K-X and motor man; also estimator. WILSHIRE 4720—556438.

WANTED—POSITION DRIVING PRIVATE CAR, 10 years old, live at home. City references. 2418 MANITOU AVE. East 3015.

WANTED—PAINTER, FIRST CLASS, WANTS POsition. I. G. ANTHONY, 339 S. Spring st. Phone A1683.

WANTED—SMALL SET OF BOOKS TO KEEP EVEnings and Saturday afternoons. WEST 1140.

WANTED—JAPANESE WANTS A POSITION AS schoolboy. A4615.

WANTED — JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, wants situation experienced, highly recommended. 628 S. OLIVE. 64268. Main 8548.

WANTED—STONE AND CEMENT WORK. CALL EAST 1186.

WANTED—POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS PRINTer. Address F, box 215, TIMES OFFICE.

Classified Liners.

EMPLOYMENT—
Agencies.

WANTED — FOR BEST COLORED HELP RING COLEMAN, the old reliable, Broadway 2106; A2879.

WANTED — JAPANESE LABOR ASSOCIATION. All kinds help. 755 S. OLIVE ST. Main 2764, F5253.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

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WANTED—YOUNG LADY OF HIGHEST STANDING and exceptional eastern educational advantages wishes to teach children afternoons; in addition to grammar grade studies will instruct in French, Latin, art, history, piano and voice. Best eastern and local references. Call 220-R before 10:00 a.m., or address O, box 219, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A THOROUGHLY RELIABLE, FIRST-class, all-around cook, disengaged January 1, widow, 35, unincumbered, who is neat, clean, quick and economical, wishes good steady position, hotel, boarding-house or restaurant; no laundry; good references; out-of-town if fare paid; $45 up. Address MRS. H., care of 607 W. Fourth, Los Angeles. Phone Main 7741.

WANTED—COMPETENT REFINED YOUNG WOMAN desires position with considerate people (adults). Am capable of assuming full responsibility of house, ordering, etc. Salary moderate. References. HOTEL GLENCOE, room 462. Both phones.

WANTED — POSITION AS GOVERNESS OR tutor for children by young woman just arrived from East. Certificated teacher in Philadelphia schools, likes children and knows how to handle them. Willing to travel. Address M, box 389, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—POSITION AS PRIVATE SECRETARY for afternoons by young lady of excellent standing, pleasing personality and eastern education. Call 22978 before 10 a.m. or address O, box 299, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — RELIABLE COLORED GIRL WITH city references wishes a place as general maid, where competent help would be thoroughly appreciated; wages $35 to $40. Phone BROADWAY 7982.

WANTED—REFINED YOUNG LADY WISHES TO exchange services in good home for her room and board while attending school. Phone Tuesday, F3684 or Main 2811. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, 643 S. Olive.

WANTED — POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER IN home of elderly gentleman or gentleman with daughter, or young men, by congenial, refined lady; references if desired. BROADWAY 2675.

WANTED—AM AN A1 BOOK-KEEPER AND stenographer, experienced, best of references, reasonable salary. Address K, box 465, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY, EMPLOYED, WILL give company and assistance in exchange for room and board. State particulars. Address K, box 390, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—GENERAL HOUSEWORK WANTED BY colored woman in city or country; will do laundry in a small family. Phone Main 5030. Address 138 WEST 60TH ST.

WANTED — A QUIET, REFINED, CHRISTIAN young woman wants light housework; would like to be close in and where I could have some afternoons and my evenings. HOME PHONE 26498.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY WANTS TO DO LAUNdry work where she can get room and board; good experience. Address 857 E. 33RD ST., or P, box 89, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY OF REFINEMENT AND good appearance, capable of meeting public and operating switchboard, desires position. Address K, box 469, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—BY GIRL, STEADY POSITION WITH good people, Beverly Hills or country preferred; give phone number. Address M, box 386, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—POSITION BY REFINED, CAPABLE woman as manager of an apartment house, no objections to leaving city. Tel. HOLLYWOOD 2494.

WANTED—BY REFINED MIDDLE-AGED LADY as housekeeper in gentleman's or widower's home, no objections to children or country. Address F, box 972, 2300 N. HIGHLAND AVE.

WANTED—POSITION AS PARLOR MAID OR second maid, will go out of city; can give references. Address M, box 316, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE, WITH wholesale experience, desires position; stenographer and book-keeper. A-1 references. HOLCOMB, Broadway 2223.

WANTED—BY COMPETENT WOMAN, POSITION in a family of 2 adults, wages $25; no laundry. Phone BROADWAY 1522, or address M, 827 WEST 8TH ST., Los Angeles.

WANTED—SITUATIONS TOGETHER; ONE EXperienced cook, other second maid, city or beaches. Address K, box 361, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—FRENCH GIRL WANTS SECOND work in good family, speaks Spanish, English and French. Give good references. Phone Monday, Main 5540, 911 CENTRAL AVE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER wants position with future; whole or part time. PHONE 56627.

WANTED—JAPANESE, REFINED WOMAN WANTS position as maid, best references, speak fair English. MONI, 820½ W. 6th st.

WANTED — SCANDINAVIAN GIRL WANTS work, upstairs work or second girl, in private family. GLENDALE 1275.

WANTED — SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED German cook, city, country, $40. Address F, box 229, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN WISHES housekeeping; no laundry. Phone BROADWAY 2943.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED COLORED MAID, would like half day work in apartment. PHONE 22479.

WANTED—A YOUNG JAPANESE WOMAN WANTS a place in small family as general housework; no washing. $8.50 week. F1975.

WANTED—POSITION BY COMPETENT STENOgrapher, thoroughly experienced in general office work. BROADWAY 3691.

WANTED — CHILDREN TO TAKE CARE OF from 4 to 10 years old. MRS. MOGLE, 410 South First street, Sawtelle, Cal.

WANTED—GOOD GERMAN COOK WISHES POsition. Best city and Pasadena references. Prefer Pasadena. Call or write 407 E. 40TH ST.

WANTED—YOUNG ACTIVE RESPECTABLE LADY would like position. Address K, box 357, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—WHEN YOU NEED HELP OR WORK phone F3146; Main 2798. BUREAU OF SERVICE, 216 Byrne Bldg.

WANTED—POSITION BY LADY WHO IS A GOOD housekeeper or care for invalid. 66886. APT. 101.

WANTED — GRADUATE NURSE WANTS POSItion in sanatorium or nursing an invalid; references. Call MRS. HARKNESS, Lovejoy Apts.

WANTED—GOOD RELIABLE COOK WANTS A place in an oil camp or in the country. PENIEL MISSION, 227 South Main st.

WANTED—ENGAGEMENT BY NURSE OF PROfessional and practical ability. Boyle 406. APT. 312.

WANTED—DISHWASHING. PHONE BROADWAY 2043.

WANTED—GIRL WILL ANSWER TELEPHONES and assist with light office work for $15 per month. MISS CARROLL, Main 4796, F3193.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CHAMBERMAID WISHes position. Phone BROADWAY 2043.

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

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WANTED—MARRIED RANCH FOREMAN, NO children, wife cook for men, wants position, orchard, or general farming, have 10 years' practical experience in southern California on citrus, avocados, alfalfa. Not afraid of work. A. SHMIDT, 460 E. Fourth. Broadway 6921.

WANTED—MANAGEMENT OF A FIRST-CLASS apartment-house by man and wife of large acquaintance; good reference furnished. Address M, box 476, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—CARE OF APARTMENT-HOUSE BY THOROUGHLY RELIABLE AND EXPERIENCED MAN AND WIFE. REFERENCES. 3195 W. 10TH ST. APARTMENT 4.

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED—WORK BY THE DAY, RELIABLE white woman wants do cooking and housework; experienced cook with best references. Address B, box 74, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—DAY WORK BY COMPETENT GERman woman, first-class laundress. PHONE A5420.

WANTED—DAY WORK, LAUNDRY, CLEANING, will cook and serve dinners, very competent. Phone MONDAY 22985.

WANTED—LAUNDRY WORK IN PRIVATE FAMily by colored lady. 814 SAN JULIAN. Broadway 694.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED LAUNDRESS WANTS work by the day. Phone BROADWAY 2043.

WANTED—CARPENTERING—
Painting, Paper Hanging, Tinting.

WANTED—PAINTER LOOKING FOR PAINTING and tinting job will contract reasonable price; good references. I kill stains on the plaster. PHONE 41951.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERHANGing; best materials, best workmanship; work guaranteed. GOODWIN, F3115, 738½ S. Hill st.

WANTED—CARPENTERING, GOOD FAST WORKman, build anything, go anywhere. Contract or day. A9766.

WANTED—ROOMS TINTED, $1 UP; BIDS ON painting and paperhanging cheerfully given. PHONE 38256.

WANTED—PAPER HANGING PAINTING, TINTing, patch plaster and roof repairing, reasonable work guaranteed. PHONE West 5902.

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—PARTNER; GOOD SALESMAN WITH capital; business well established. CAL. NOVELTY WORKS, 555 N. Fair Oaks ave., Pasadena, Cal.

WANTED—RELIABLE PARTNER, OFFICE MAN OR SALES MANAGER, light manufacturing; $1500 investment; $150 salary. New Year gift right man. MANUFACTURER, 829 W. 11th st.

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—AN ACCEPTABLE PARTNER, MALE or female, with $2000 cash in an established rapidly growing insurance business; one-half interest with or without services. Annual profits to investor $2500, and long term renewal contract. Address MANAGER, 300 Ferguson Bldg.

WANTED—PARTNER IN PLANT MANUFACTURing staple auto accessories and selling to jobbing trade only, with field unlimited; this is an established business in good standing, and is really a rare opportunity for the right man. Address TJ, box 303, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — $550 BUYS WORKING INTEREST grocery, specialties business; wholesale; over 25 varieties manufactured; always busy. 476 NORTH BEAUDRY AVENUE. Sunday or Monday.

WANTED—PARTNER FOR ESTABLISHED AND well paying second-hand machinery and junk business, $2000 required for half interest, which would be amply secured. Address O, box 121, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HANDY, HONEST, SOBER MAN WITH $250 for light manufacturing business; no competition; wonderful future. If you want in a business that will pay you from the start, call at 156 NORTH SPRING. Room 218.

WANTED—PARTNER, GENTLEMAN OR LADY with $5000, engage in wholesale business with thoroughly reliable gentleman of experience. Investigate. Phone 70468 or address EM, box 596, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—LADY WANTS PARTNER, LADY OR gentleman, with $100, to go in poultry business. Call 232 EAGLE ROCK AVE., or phone Garvanza 723.

WANTED—GENTLEMAN, REFERENCE, $675 buy interest substantial business, only $675 down, paying $245 to $400 monthly. Particulars 255 S. BDWY, room 201.

WANTED—PARTNER IN AUTO PAINTING AND repair business. 3040 S. MAIN.

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED — FLAT OR SMALL BUNGALOW IN COURT, PREFERABLY UNFURNISHED, IN EXCHANGE FOR SERVICES BY REFINED, CAPABLE BUSINESS WOMAN WITH RENTAL EXPERIENCE. PHONE ON OR AFTER JANUARY 2, A5914.

WANTED—TO RENT; MAN AND WIFE, PERmanent tenants, unfurnished modern 3 or 4-room flat, within walking distance of 9th and San Pedro. Address TM, box 495, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—TO RENT 5-ROOM HOUSE AND about ½ acre of land near car, if rent is reasonable would lease. Address P, box 139, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HOUSES, FLATS TO RENT TO COLored people. COLORED REALTY BOARD, 1011 Central Avenue. Broadway 1498.

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED—HOME FOR BOY OF 14, OF A MEchanical turn of mind, who is attending high school, prefer home with boy of about same age and temperament. Address K, box 330, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — BOARD AND ROOM BY GENTLEman, in private family, small room, $40-$60. Full particulars. Address P, box 90, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WOMAN ABOUT 32, WITH TUBERculosis, wants home; state price. Address R, box 75, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY 3 YOUNG LADIES 2 ROOMS AND board, moderate rates. PHONE A9877.

WANTED—
Real Estate for Cash.

Advertisements which involve an exchange proposition are not acceptable for publication in this column.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE FOR CASH. Lot for flat building or bungalow court. Any good bargain in lot in Los Angeles. CONSOLIDATED MORTGAGE CO., 426 Washington Building. Phone Main 3335.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE—

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A WALNUT GROVE actually worth $12,500 in exchange for a four-acre industrial site of equal value on Alameda street, just south of Slauson avenue. Southern Pacific trackage. Clear for clear. Interested owners please submit in writing full particulars as to what you have. GEO. M. SORELLE, with STRONG, DICKINSON & McGRATH, Marsh-Strong Bldg., Ninth and Main sts.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE RESIDENCE; PREFER 7 or 8 rooms, up to $5500 clear. I will give all of the following items:

Cash	$1000
Corner lot, N.W., good for flats	$2500
Corner lot, S.W., looks good	$1800
Total	$5300

WALTER FRANKLIN, 234 Bradbury Bldg., 304 South Broadway. F1636.

WANTED—

INCOME TO $10,000.

Will assume. In exchange good clear business lot on Washington st., 48 frontage, near Vermont ave.

PIERCE,

From I-O-W-A,

Central Bldg.

WANTED—LOS ANGELES CITY OR COUNTRY property in exchange for high-class Chicago income property. Can match any good deal from $50,000 to $1,000,000.

UMBSTEAD & ROBINSON,
O. T. Johnson Bldg.

WANTED—

Lot in the northwest or Hollywood district, in exchange for two acres in the Placentia orange district, 45 minutes from Los Angeles. Value $800; will assume $600 or $700.

See FRANK W. REYNOLDS,
A3411, Bdwy. 4240. 427 Central Bldg.

WANTED—

Income flats, have client with lot on Aliso st. with two cottages, valued at $3500, and lot on Douglas 80-foot corner, valued at $2500. Total value $6000, clear. Will assume.

A. ROSS COOKE, with 219 Haas Bldg.
THOS. C. BUNDY & CO. 60545, Bdwy. 5388.

WANTED — CLEAR CITY OR COUNTRY PROPerty, from $15,000 to $60,000. Offer new, attractive income properties, located in exclusive districts and leased to pay better than 10 per cent. Can give excellent deal.

GALE-WHITTEN COMPANY,
Main 4911. 610 Security Bldg. A5848.

WANTED—OUR SPECIAL BUSINESS IS TO LOcate SNAPS and then find a buyer. We are at your service with 20 years' experience in Los Angeles.

GEO. A. CORTELYOU CO.,
A1302. 534 Bradbury Bldg. Main 1302.

WANTED—GOOD BUNGALOW OR RESIDENCE for my equity in 3 unrestricted business lots, 150x140 to 20-ft. alley; mortgage $2000; price $6000; will assume mortgage. FRANKLIN HARPER, owner, 1002 Van Nuys Bldg. A1904; Main 287.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE VENTURA RANCH. Want clear Eastern or Northern property to $40,000 or $50,000. Will pay for same with well improved Ventura ranch improved with beans and walnuts. Price $75,000. Mortgage $20,000. Address K, box 448, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—

15,000 to 18,000 acres, grazing land, Arizona. Spot cash for good property. Write me today.

PIERCE,

From I-O-W-A,

Central Bldg.

WANTED—CLEAR LAND OR LOTS TO $5000 FOR well located residence property. Price $8500, owner nonresident, will give good deal for any property not requiring attention. LESLIE B. RIGGINS CO., 501 Union Oil Bldg. A1455. Broadway 7458.

WANTED—CLEAR PROPERTY TO $2000 FOR three-ton truck, cost $3900, good as new, used very little. Price $2000, clear, present owner has no use for it. LESLIE B. RIGGINS CO., 501 Union Oil Bldg. A1455, Broadway 7458.

WANTED—GOOD CLOSE-IN PROPERTY, EITHER vacant or improved, West Sixth or Seventh st. preferred; will pay for same with some good clear beach property, first mortgages and some cash. Will assume on income. Submit from $50,000 to $150,000. BOX 83, Venice, Calif.

WANTED—

Equities in business properties south of Fifth st. in exchange for clear eastern properties up to half a million.

M. L. WICKS,
Story Bldg.

WANTED—BUNGALOW, WEST OR HOLLYWOOD, or Glendale. Have clear lot, near Van Nuys, only $200 per acre. Will trade clear for clear. P. R. LONGLEY, F1273, Main 6278; 337 S. Hill st.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE FLATS OR INCOME, have cash, lot on Adams $4000. Lot on Flower $4000, double cottage $4500, all clear. GEORGE C. PECKHAM, 600 Hibernian Bldg. F5392.

WANTED—LOT OR TWO, INLAND, OR FORD, for nearly new Indian motorcycle and Smith motor wheel; will pay difference in cash, or will accept most anything I can take with me handy. Address P, box 342, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD BUILDING LOT TO $2750; will give bungalow same value, rented, modern, on 59th place. If you wish to get your property into income here is the opportunity. Address PJ, box 412, TIMES SPRING ST.

WANTED — WE HAVE SEVERAL CUSTOMERS that want Imperial county farming lands. If you will list your property with us we are quite sure we can get you a buyer. McDOWELL & ELJEL, 521 S. Olive st.

WANTED—ALFALFA RANCH (DESCRIBE VERY fully) for Westlake furnished elegant home. Apartment sites (all clear gilt edge). First mortgages, $100,000 up. Opportunity seldom offered. Owner, forenoons, 942 S. HOOVER.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, A CORNER LOT IN the Wilshire district, up to $4000, in exchange for elegant 10-room residence on Morgan Place in Hollywood. Call or phone, R. Y. TAFT, 5751 Hollywood Blvd., or phone 59045. Holly 3060.

WANTED—FIRST CLASS PRODUCING ORANGE or lemon grove, 5 to 10 acres. Offer clear acreage on boulevard, San Fernando Valley. THE CENTURY SYNDICATE, 1114 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED — A HOME PLACE TOWARDS THE foothills, not too far from L. A., about 2 to 10 acres, on or near car line. Address K, box 303, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—YOUR HOUSE, LOT OR ACREAGE, anywhere, for sale or exchange; have real money and many clear properties. Address K, box 378, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—BUSINESS BLOCK, FLATS OR BUNGAlows. Have clear grove near boulevard, $30,000. Address owner, K, box 460, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—IF WISH TO BUY, SELL OR EXchange property see, write or phone J. C. CHRISNEY, 606 Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles. F2820.

WANTED—STOCK RANCH OR ANY OTHER good acreage for Los Angeles income. Address K, box 541, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE—

WANTED—

East Side income, vacant lots, orange groves, residences, Middle West farm, eastern city, $7000, 6-room bungalow, clear acre, clear lot, all Southwest, submit clear to $5000.

$8000, 4-flat, close-in, income $60; want offer to $5000 clear.

$15,000 clear, 70x120, corner, Central avenue; want high-class income; assume small mortgage.

$15,000, bungalow court, Hollywood, income $165 month, (extra fine;) want clear to $9000.

$30,000, bungalow court, close-in, high-class, income $265 month; submit to $16,000.

W. M. KNAPP,
428 Investment Bldg.
67460. Main 7938.

WANTED — LOS ANGELES AND SOUTHERN California property to exchange for Chicago property. I am associated with one of the largest, oldest and most reliable real estate firms in Chicago; can give Chicago and Los Angeles bank references, and guarantee satisfaction. Would like to correspond with Chicago and eastern owners; also eastern owners of Los Angeles property. Can match up your proposition.

R. L. CRESCY,
304 Union Oil Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal. F1852.

WANTED—WISE MEN REALIZE THAT THE possession of vacant, clear, unimproved California land means the ownership of that which the passage of time can only make of greater value. I have much of such land to exchange for other property. It is level and well located as to railroads, etc. Can exchange from 5 to 5000 acres. What have you? Will consider equities in desirable income realty. CHAS. PRICE, 1010 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—

Immediately,
"Forty Furnished Bungalows"
in good locations.
Demand far exceeds our supply.
No charge for listing.
Rental Department,
R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY,
614-16-18 Trust and Savings Bldg.
60817. Sixth at Spring. Bdwy. 978.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE PROPERTY ON LOS Angeles street north of Washington up to $75,000. Have cash and clear ranch, value $50,000. GEORGE C. PECKHAM, 600 Hibernian Bldg. F5392.

WANTED — SUBURBAN RANCH, HOME FOR clear Wilshire lots, might add cash or city home. Inquire 327 W. 3rd st. A3307. Main 8561.

WANTED—HAVE GENUINE BUYER FOR LOS Angeles income, know values and want no inflated prices. Address K, box 350, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—IF YOU MEAN BUSINESS, WRITE or call. We exchange good property anywhere, eastern or local. JORDAN & HILL, 222 Grosse Bldg.

WANTED—SMALL HOUSE; WILL PAY WITH automobile and cash. MR. SMITH, forenoons, Main 1451, F2760; evenings, West 2473.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, CITY RESIDENCE. Offer good ranch property. Owners only. P. L. DARLING, 213 Grant Bldg.

WANTED—BUSINESS PROPERTY TO $100,000; will give clear acreage, southwest. Address K, box 328, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—TO BUY LOTS IN PACIFIC IMPROVEment tract or on Sixth st., San Pedro. Address K, box 328, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—FROM OWNER, RANCH OR ACREAGE for Wilshire residence and other property. Write full particulars. OWNER, 1011 Arlington ave.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, GROVE, RIVERSIDE, and ranch, Artesia. Offer city property. Owners only. P. L. DARLING, 213 Grant Bldg.

WANTED—
Miscellaneous.

WANTED—AVOID THE CONGESTION on The Times telephone switchboard by telephoning your Sunday ads Friday or early Saturday.

WANTED—BOOKS BOUGHT, AUTO CALLS ANYwhere to make cash offer; entire libraries purchased. HOLMES BOOK CO., 333 S. Main st. Phone M. 1855, M. 1675, A1808, Broadway 1855.

WANTED — FALSE TEETH; BIG MONEY PAID for old gold and silver; broken false teeth, with or without gold; jewelry, any kind. See us to get full value. L. A. REFINERY, 750 S. Spring st.

WANTED — LATEST EDITION, ENCYCLOPEDIA Britannica, if reasonable. Address R, box 78, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—I WILL BUY YOUR OLD RAGS AND newspapers. Will call for them. J. PARKUS, 617 E. 24th st.

WANTED—TO BUY OR SELL FOR CASH, OLD-fashioned jewelry, silverware, laces, antiques, old gold. 614 W. SIXTH, near Grand.

WANTED—CHEAP JOHN PAYS HIGHEST PRICES, men's clothing, tools, revolvers, jewelry, suit cases, etc. Main 3739, 716 E. 5TH ST. Will call.

WANTED—BOOKS BOUGHT, AUTO CALLS ANYwhere to make cash offer. DAWSON'S BOOK SHOP, 518 S. Hill. Main 3859, F3250.

WANTED — ELECTRIC MOTOR, 1-H.P., SINGLE phase. 917 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

WANTED—CASH PAID FOR FEATHER BEDS. 758 SAN PEDRO ST., Main 1166.

WANTED—
Diamonds and Jewelry.

WANTED—DIAMONDS! DIAMONDS! DIAMONDS! I can't begin to fill the orders I have before me for diamonds. To meet my customers' demands I am willing to pay top notch prices for your diamonds of any size or quality. Private rooms. J. C. FERGUSSON, 204-6 Homer Laughlin Bldg. 315 S. Broadway.

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10 acres with water, between city and beach, 1 to 10 years.
GEO. A. CORTELYOU CO.,
A1302. 534 Bradbury Bldg. Main 1302.

TO LET—440 ACRES PASTURE, CALABASAS, house, barn, fence, water, feed. Health. MARTIN, 2247 Canyon drive, Hollywood 2366.

TO LET—
Poultry Ranches.

TO LET—2½-ACRE CHICKEN RANCH, MODERN bungalow, alfalfa, chicken pens, barns, etc. Nest Gardens. OWNER, Main 556, 61676.

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—
A REAL SACRIFICE
BEAUTIFUL WHITE CEMENT RESIDENCE IN THE WILSHIRE DISTRICT
WORTH $8000,
NOW [illegible]

If you have the cash and are ready to do business, here is a real bargain in a lovely Wilshire home. The owner wants quick action and is willing to sacrifice.

An investigation will convince you of the unusual opportunity offered. Here is a splendid white cement residence ideally located on a lot on high ground in the Wilshire section. Interior is finished in genuine mahogany and artistically decorated throughout. Contains sunny bedrooms, modern bathrooms, maid's room and bath, and in fact every modern convenience, including cement basement, furnace, heater, etc. Cement driveway, garage, lawn and flowers.

Here is a chance to secure a real bargain in a modern up-to-date home. Now is the time to act. At the price quoted it will soon be sold. There's a reason. Investigate it.

SEE E. A. WEBER,
MGR. HOUSE AND LOT DEPTS.,
OR D. RUTHERFORD,
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
FOURTH FLOOR—HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG.
MAIN 6760.

FOR SALE—

IF YOU COULD SEE
THIS COSY HOME
YOU WOULD STOP PAYING RENT
TOMORROW.
$1000.

Fine new 3-room bungalow on big high lot, 18 minutes from downtown. Gas and electricity. Flowers, palms and lawn. Close to schools, and 5 cent yellow car line. All fenced. A very small payment and $12.50 a month will lift you out of the rent paying class. SEE IT NOW—for this new home see Mr. Klo[illegible] with JANSS INVESTMENT CO., 4th Floor Metropolitan Bldg., 5th and Bdwy., Home 1060[illegible] or Bdwy. 2408.

FOR SALE—

$30,000.

THE HOUSE A BEAUTY.
THE LOCATION SHATTO PLACE.
THE ATTRACTIVE FEATURES.

Spacious hall, drawing-room and dining-room in hardwood; large solarium.

Fine pipe organ in music-room; 3 baths, 5 bedrooms; sleeping porch; safety vault; double furnace.

THE LOT—80x220; beautiful shrubs and trees; garage for two machines; man's quarters.

This is a home to please the most fastidious. See A. C. Demondorf,

R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY,
614-16-18 Trust and Savings Bldg.
60817. Sixth at Spring. Bdwy. 978.

FOR SALE—

WILSHIRE DISTRICT
FURNISHED HOUSE.
COMPLETELY AND ELEGANTLY FURNISHED WITH ALL NEW FURNITURE.

Nearly new 2-story Colonial house having 10 rooms. Every modern appointment, hardwood floors throughout.

East-front lot 60x170 with double garage.

ONLY $10,500 INCLUDING HOUSE, LOT AND FURNITURE. TERMS EASY.

S. M. COOPER,
802 Story Bldg., 6th and Broadway.
Telephones: Broadway 379; 10317.

FOR SALE—

NEW DUTCH COLONIAL IN WILSHIRE.

Containing seven extra large rooms, with all the artistic decorations found in the best homes; tinted decorated walls, Batchelder tile mantel, tiled bath with shower, etc. Sixty-three-foot lot, lawns, street surrounded by beautiful homes. TRULY A MARVEL OF TASTE AND BEAUTY.

FOR PRICE CALL ME UP. IT'S EXCEPTIONALLY LOW. $1000 UNDER ACTUAL VALUE. THE LOCATION UNEXCELLED. R. O. WILLIAMS, with

R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY,
614-616-618 Trust and Savings Bldg.
60817. Sixth at Spring. Bdwy. 978.

FOR SALE—
438 S. MANHATTAN PLACE.
This beautiful white colonial house of nine rooms and two tile baths, built by owner for his home with every modern improvement.
Will sell furnished or unfurnished.
Terms to suit.
OPEN FOR INSPECTION.
W. H. WILLEBRANDS, 451 S. Manhattan place, or 811-812 HIBERNIAN Bldg., Phone F6472.

FOR SALE—NEW AND VERY MODERN 8-ROOM BUNGALOW, lot 100x198; fruit, flowers, garage, pens for several hundred chickens; furnace and all things first-class and new; this place is ideally located on a high terraced lot, and overlooking miles of country at Montrose; marriage in the family leaves the owner alone, is only reason for selling at a price $2000 less than cost. Plenty of sunshine at Montrose. See W. E. DONAGHUE, 319 Delta Bldg. F1149.

FOR SALE—FRANCISCO PARK.
820 SOUTH SERRANO AVE.
8 rooms and sleeping porch; white gum plaster, with tile roof. Nearly new, strictly modern, canvas walls with oil finish. Beautiful hardwork. Large garage. Lot 60x150. Key at 827 South Serrano ave., Price $10,800. Good terms.

F. E. STITELEY,
A1922. 645 Title Insurance Bldg. A1922.

FOR SALE—
North Wilshire District.
Two-story modern home. South Oxford st. Enamel kitchen, tile bathroom, hardwood floors, basement. Want quick action.
PIERCE,
From I-O-W-A,
Central Bldg.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE HOUSES.
$5500 to $8200 bungalows and houses in the Wilshire district. Reasonable terms.
THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
60400. 635 S. Hill st. Main 8172.

FOR SALE—LARGE TWO-STORY 8-ROOM house, high ground, West Adams district; owner has foreclosed and wants his money. Easy terms. PERCY M. ALLEN, 518 Van Nuys Bldg. 10427. Main 2608.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM HOUSE, $1000 UNDER value, located on high-class residence street, lot 40x140, mortgage $1500, $1000 cash will handle. See OWNER, 607 W. Ave. 66, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL DOUBLE SWISS CHALET, in East Hollywood; paying 12 per cent on investment; price $5500. Address owner, LL, box 245, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$2250, COMPLETELY FURNISHED 5-room new bungalow, 3637 Second ave.; mortgage $1600. Am leaving city; must sell at once. Call 72658 or WEST 2086.

FOR SALE—8-ROOM COLONIAL RESIDENCE, Wilshire district, just completed, 60-foot lot, 2 baths, garage, price $7500, $500 cash, balance monthly. Phone MAESCHER, F3156, Main 8884.

FOR SALE — $3800, A WESTLAKE SACRIFICE; 7-room modern bungalow and garage, close walking distance. No commission. 308 S. UNION AVE. 55016.

FOR SALE—$4250, $1250 CASH. 425 Lake st., 50x143, 5 rooms, rented $27; lot appraised $5000, balance 3 years, 7 per cent. 404 HIBERNIAN BLDG. 12482.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL HOME, LARGE CORNER lot, most desirable location, fixtures imported. Owner must sell; offers a bargain. See MISS McCREA, 207 Delta Bldg.

FOR SALE — $11,500, FURNISHED TEN-ROOM home; swell surroundings. Is sacrifice. Worth $16,000. Don't pass this up. Worth investigating. OWNER, 1336 Westlake ave. Phone 25177.

FOR SALE—LOT 40X135, AND CALIFORNIA bungalow, 4 rooms and kitchen, lots of fruit trees and flowers; no objection to colored people. Address TB, box 676, TIMES HILL ST. BRANCH.

Classified Liners.

TO LET— Miscellaneous.

TO LET—HOUSES, FLATS, APARTMENTS, FURnished and unfurnished, all desirable and reasonable. WEST 1920.

TO LET— Farming Lands.

TO LET—OR SALE—60 ACRES CHOICE LAND, adjoining city Tulare, ditch and pump water, will do for alfalfa, grain or truck and dairying; will sell without payment down to reliable or [illegible] of improvements. Give plenty time for payment. Might exchange. Owner, W. A. RYON, [illegible] Bradbury Bldg.

TO LET—SAN FERNANDO VALLEY, 30 TO 90 acres of level land at Chatsworth, suitable for Egyptian corn, tomatoes, etc. Owens River water available. Rent $6 per acre. THE G. H. [illegible] GOODWIN CO., 302 Central Bldg., 6th and [illegible]. Main 7850; F3150.

TO LET—[illegible] acres with water, between city and the beach, 1 to 10 years. GEO. A. CORTELYOU CO., 534 Bradbury Bldg. Main 1302.

TO LET—140 ACRES PASTURE; CALABASAS; [illegible] barn, fence, water, feed, healthful. [illegible] 2347 Canyon drive, Hollywood 2366.

TO LET— Poultry Ranches.

TO LET—3½-ACRE CHICKEN RANCH, MODERN [illegible], alfalfa, chicken pens, barns, etc. [illegible]. OWNER, Main 350, 61675.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—

A REAL SACRIFICE
BEAUTIFUL WHITE CEMENT RESIDENCE
IN THE WILSHIRE DISTRICT
WORTH $8000,
NOW $6000.

If you have the cash and are ready to talk business, here is a real bargain in a lovely Wilshire home. The owner wants quick action and is willing to sacrifice.

An investigation will convince you of the unusual opportunity offered. Here is a splendid [illegible] cement residence ideally located on a large lot on high ground in the Wilshire section. The interior is finished in genuine mahogany and is [illegible] decorated throughout. Contains two [illegible] bedrooms, modern bathroom, maid's room [illegible] and in fact every modern convenience including cement basement, furnace, heater, etc. [illegible] driveway, garage, lawn and flowers.

Here is a chance to secure a real bargain in an up-to-date home. Now is the time to [illegible] at the price quoted it will soon be sold. [illegible] Investigate it.

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MGR. HOUSE AND LOT DEPTS.,
OR D. RUTHERFORD,
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
[illegible] FLOOR—HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG.
10777.

FOR SALE—

IF YOU COULD SEE
THIS COSY HOME
YOU WOULD STOP PAYING RENT
TOMORROW.
$1000.

[illegible] 5-room bungalow on big high lot, [illegible] from downtown. Gas and electricity, [illegible] palms and lawn. Close to [illegible] and 5 cent yellow car line. All fenced. [illegible] small payment and $12.50 a month [illegible] you out of the rent paying class. Do [illegible] this new home see Mr. Kious, [illegible] INVESTMENT CO., 4th Floor Metropolitan [illegible], 5th and Bdwy., Home 10545.

FOR SALE—

$30,000.

THE HOME A BEAUTY,
THE LOCATION SHATTO PLACE.
THE ATTRACTIVE FEATURES.

[illegible] hall, drawing-room and dining-room [illegible] large solarium.

[illegible] organ in music-room; 3 baths, 4 [illegible] sleeping porch; safety vault; double [illegible].

[illegible] beautiful shrubs and trees, [illegible] machines; man's quarters.

[illegible] a home to please the most fastidious. See A. C. Desendorf,

R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY,
614-16 Trust and Savings Bldg.
Sixth at Spring. Bdwy. 978.

FOR SALE—

WILSHIRE DISTRICT
FURNISHED HOUSE.
COMPLETELY AND ELEGANTLY FURNISHED
[illegible] FURNITURE.

[illegible] Colonial house having [illegible]. Every modern appointment, [illegible] throughout.

[illegible] 60x170 with double [illegible].

[illegible] INCLUDING HOUSE, LOT AND FURNITURE. TERMS EASY.

S. M. COOPER,
802 Story Bldg., 6th and Broadway.
Telephones: Broadway 379; 10317.

FOR SALE—

[illegible] COLONIAL IN WILSHIRE.

[illegible] seven extra large rooms, with all [illegible] decorations found in the best homes, [illegible] walls. Batchelder tile mantel; [illegible] shower, etc. Sixty-three-foot lot, [illegible] surrounded by beautiful homes. [illegible] A MARVEL OF TASTE AND BEAUTY.

[illegible] CALL ME UP. IT'S EXCEPTIONAL [illegible] $1000 UNDER ACTUAL VALUE. [illegible] UNEXCELLED. R. O. WILLIAMS.

R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY,
614-616 Trust and Savings Bldg.
Sixth at Spring. Bdwy. 978.

FOR SALE—

[illegible] S. MANHATTAN PLACE.

[illegible] beautiful white colonial house of [illegible] rooms and two tile baths, [illegible] by owner for his home with every modern improvement.

Furnished or unfurnished. Terms to suit.

OPEN FOR INSPECTION.

W. S. WILLEBRANDT, 451 S. Manhattan Place, or 611-612 HIBERNIAN Bldg., Phone F6472.

FOR SALE—NEW AND VERY MODERN 8-ROOM bungalow, lot 100x198; fruit, flowers, garage, [illegible] for several hundred chickens; furnace and [illegible] first-class and new; this place is ideally [illegible] on a high terraced lot, and overlooking [illegible] of country at Montrose; marriage in the [illegible] the owner alone, is only reason for [illegible] price $3000 less than cost. Plenty [illegible] at Montrose. See W. E. DONAGHOE, [illegible] Bldg. F1149.

FOR SALE—[illegible] FRANCISCO PARK.

[illegible] SOUTH SERRANO AVE.

[illegible] and sleeping porch; white gum plaster [illegible]. Nearly new, strictly modern [illegible] walls with oil finish, beautiful hand-[illegible] garage. Lot 60x150. [illegible] South Serrano ave., Price $10,800.

F. E. STITELEY,
645 Title Insurance Bldg. A1923.

FOR SALE—
North Wilshire District.

[illegible] modern home. South Oxford st. [illegible] tile bathroom, hardwood floors. [illegible] Want quick action.

PIERCE,
From I-O-W-A.
Central Bldg.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE HOUSES.

[illegible] to $6000 bungalows and houses in [illegible] district. Reasonable terms.

THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
637 S. Hill st. Main 8172.

FOR SALE—LARGE TWO-STORY 8-ROOM [illegible] high ground, West Adams district; owner [illegible] and wants his money. Easy [illegible] ALLEN, 518 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE—6-ROOM HOUSE, $1000 UNDER [illegible] located on high-class residence street, [illegible] mortgage $1500, $1000 cash will [illegible]. See OWNER. 607 W. Ave. 60, Los [illegible].

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL DOUBLE SWISS CHALET [illegible] in East Hollywood; paying 12 per cent. [illegible] price $5500. Address owner, [illegible] box 363, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—6-ROOM COLONIAL RESIDENCE, [illegible] district, just completed, 60-foot lot, [illegible] garage, price $7500, $500 cash, balance [illegible]. Phone MAESCHER, F3136, Main 8884.

FOR SALE—$2800, A WESTLAKE SACRIFICE, [illegible] modern bungalow and garage, clear; [illegible] distance. No commission. 509 S. UNION [illegible].

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FOR SALE—

CHARMING FOOTHILL HOME.

Delightful spot on the mountainside in a swell neighborhood, only 30 minutes from 6th and Bdwy., over paved automobile roads or 15-minute car service. 5 acres in bearing oranges, miscellaneous fruits, flowers and shrubs. Palm drive of 300 feet to house; situated on high elevation, overlooking beautiful valley and giving one of the grandest panoramic views in California.

Attractive Swiss chalet of 8 large rooms, with two baths and shower. Grand enclosed sleeping porch, furnace, hot water in different rooms, gas, electric lights, telephones and all city conveniences. Rich interior finish; elaborate fixtures. 8-ft. cement basement under entire house with reinforced concrete foundation. Large 2-story garage with servants' quarters. Mountain pergola, picnic grove, flowers in abundance and other attractive features.

This is the "Home, Sweet Home" you have always wished for. You can't duplicate the combination of superb location, grand view, ideal climate, mountain water, pure air and real home comforts anywhere. No words can do the place justice; you must see it to appreciate it.

Worth $35,000, but will sacrifice for $25,500, very easy terms. Be the fortunate one who gets it, and enjoy life to the fullest extent. Write or call for photographs and a complete description.

R. H. WHITTEN, owner,
610 Security Bldg.
Main 4911. A5848.

FOR SALE—

WHAT YOU WASTE IN RENT
WILL PAY FOR IT—
DANDY 5-ROOM BUNGALOW.
20 MINUTES FROM 5TH & BDWY.

See this at once and start saving your rent for yourself. High ground, modern with fine bath, cement sidewalks and curbs, gas and electricity. All fenced. Half block to 5 cent yellow cars. Specially priced this week, $1950. A homey home you can buy for $15 a month interest included. The small first payment is easy. See J. S. KIOUS, with JANSS INVESTMENT CO., 4th floor Metropolitan Bldg. 5th and Broadway, Home 10545, or Bdwy. 2468.

FOR SALE—

BY OWNER.
WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
AT A POSITIVE BARGAIN AND ON EASY TERMS.

New 2-story cement plaster house having 10 rooms. Every conceivable modern appointment, including furnace and 3 baths besides shower. Center hall, living room, dining-room and library finished in mahogany. Hardwood floors and mahogany doors throughout. Decorations in oil on canvas.
Lot 60x150 with double garage.
In the very best part of this desirable residential district, less than one block from 6th street car line.

S. M. COOPER,
802 Story Bldg., 6th and Broadway.
Telephones: Broadway 379; 10317.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—ABOUT ONE AND A HALF ACRES ON DOUBLE CLEAN CORNER, WITH FINE VIEW OF THE MOUNTAINS, 12-ROOM HOUSE, FINE GROUNDS, MOST BEAUTIFUL SHRUBBERY, ORANGES, LEMONS, FIGS, MULBERRY, AVOCADOS, LOQUAT, CUSTARD APPLE TREES, AND A BEAUTIFUL OAK TREE ON THE PREMISES, ONE BLOCK FROM PASADENA SHORT LINE CAR ON FINEST STREET IN SOUTH PASADENA. ALL IMPROVEMENTS IN AND PAID FOR. EVERY CITY CONVENIENCE, LOS ANGELES GAS, TELEPHONE AND ELECTRICITY. SEWER. IF YOU WANT A REAL HOME PLACE THIS IS YOUR CHANCE. ONE OF THE BEST IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND FOR ABOUT ONE-HALF WHAT IT IS REALLY WORTH. ADDRESS THE OWNER, 1501 FREMONT AVE., SOUTH PASADENA, CAL.

FOR SALE—
GRAMERCY PLACE NEAR WILSHIRE.
$13,000.
PICK-UP BARGAIN, FINEST SECTION OF WILSHIRE.

12-room residence, English type.
Built for a complete home.
5 bedrooms, tiled baths, sun parlor, sleeping porch.
Lot 70x150, finest surroundings.
Garage, fine shrubbery and roses.
Terms if desired.
See A. C. Desendorf,

R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY,
60817. 616 Trust and Savings Bldg. Bdwy. 978.

FOR SALE—

I'LL FINANCE
AND BUILD YOUR HOME.

Have your home built to suit your own ideas. I'll finance it and you can pay in small monthly installments like rent. Very small cash payment required. I have some fine property on and near Vermont avenue which I will sell for as low as $625 the quarter acre, easy terms. Only 36 minutes from business center. Vermont avenue car service, 5c fare. City improvements. Situated on elevated mesa with splendid view. For trip to property and full details about home-building offer, see EMIL FIRTH, 346 Broadway. 60167. Main 2543. Office open Sunday forenoon.

FOR SALE—

BY OWNER.
$3300.

My beautiful, modern 7-room bungalow. A WONDERFUL BARGAIN. Oak floors throughout. Daintily decorated. Garage and cement driveway. Street paved, sewer in. Located in west end, close to new school, stores and car.

Will make any terms. Call
R. O. WILLIAMS, 60817 or Bdwy. 978.
Office 616 Trust and Savings Bldg.

FOR SALE— EXCLUSIVE

WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
Between 3rd and 6th sts. car lines.

A strictly high-class, 9-room residence, fine condition, gas furnace, sleeping porch, billiard room.

East front, fine lot, 50x150 feet.
For thorough inspection, see

F. E. STITELEY,
A1923. 645 Title Insurance Bldg. A1923.

FOR SALE—

BEAUTIFUL NEW BUNGALOW.
WILSHIRE DISTRICT.

This splendidly-arranged seven-room Colonial bungalow is located on a high, east front lot, on a newly-paved street. The rooms are light and airy, being finished in white enamel with mahogany doors. Appropriate papering to carry out the Colonial effects. The construction throughout is the very best. See this artistic place at 113 NORTH WILTON PLACE, or phone OWNER, [illegible].

FOR SALE—

JUST FINISHED.

Two dandy 4 and 5 rooms, complete in every detail, bungalows, on Mott st., close to Stephenson ave. Sewer and street work in. Look at the prices, $2000, $2200. 5 per cent. off for cash or special terms of 10 per cent. down and 1 per cent. per month.

THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
60409. 637 S. Hill st. Main 8172.

FOR SALE—

GOOD HOME
ON "SO EASY" TERMS.

Modern house, with 4 rooms, on lot 50x185. Located on Pacific Electric line, 5c fare. Work shed, poultry yard and poultry-house. Grape arbor, shade and fruit trees and flowers. Price only $1500. Pay $150 down and move in. Rest in improvements of $15 a month. For full particulars see W. S. MYERS, 346 S. Broadway (ground floor.) 60167. Main 2543.

FOR SALE—BEST BARGAIN IN A 5-ROOM BUNgalow in Los Angeles. Comparatively new, 200 feet from Moneta car; lot 40x133. Owner going away and will sell this house for $200 cash, $15 per month; price $1500. This is more than $1000 under actual value. It will take quick action to get in on this.

SURETY INVESTMENT CO., 1001 Marsh-Strong Bldg. F1533, Main 1533.

FOR SALE—BRAND NEW MODERN 6-ROOM BUNgalow, 1232 N. Normandie ave., lot 50x135, lawn started, all ready for occupancy; price $3750; $300 cash, balance same as rent. Will take a vacant lot as part pay. This place is a bargain, call up and we will be glad to show you the property.

SURETY INVESTMENT CO., 1001 Marsh-Strong Bldg. F1533, Main 1533.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE.
Under foreclosure, a $7500 home for $5000; will only take $1500 to handle; bank will loan the balance at 7 per cent. A rare chance to invest or acquire a high-class home at your own price, in the very best (Palisades) section of Santa Monica. See me quick. MR. REYNOLDS, with ALBERT SKALOSKI, Venice. Phone 4176 or 1412-J.

FOR SALE—CLEVER WHITE COLONIAL BUNgalow, situated at 1019 Wilton place, convenient to both yellow and red car lines, school, stores and good boulevards; positively the best built, arranged, finished and decorated bungalow in South Hollywood. Must be seen to be appreciated. Price $3500. Call or phone. 1019 N. WILTON PLACE. Holly. 3454; 59045.

FOR SALE — MY BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE AT Oneonta Park, "The Triangle," almost an acre of ground, house has 10 rooms, 4 baths, steam heat and garage for 3 autos; worth $30,000, but will sacrifice; would lease to right party. JONATHAN S. DODGE, 353 South Hill. 60286.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE DISTRICT. BEAUTIFUL 6-room modern bungalow Benton Way; a gem! Price $4500, easy terms, or take good lot as first payment. GEORGE C. PECKHAM, 600 Hibernian Bldg. F5292.

FOR SALE—THOUSAND DOLLAR EQUITY IN beautiful bungalow, southwest section, for five hundred; terms, or will exchange for good car or clear lot. Phone AUSTIN, 22842 HOME.

FOR SALE—7-ROOM MODERN CHALET, FURnished or unfurnished, restricted neighborhood, corner (50x150.) Heliotrope car. 549 N. ARDMORE AVE. Phone 560405.

FOR SALE—BUNGALOW SIX LARGE ROOMS, Western, near West Adams, $2000 equity for $750. Fine neighborhood, many flowers, shrubs, alley, large lot. Apply 520 STORY BLDG. 71622.

FOR SALE—ONE ACRE OF GROUND AND 5-room house, variety of fruit, at sacrifice, PHONE 54905.

FOR SALE—

540 Larchmont Blvd.
In North Wilshire Section.
Up-to-date Bungalow of Seven Rooms.
All modern improvements. Large lot.
West Sixth St. Car Line.
Terms $350 Cash, balance like rent.
OWNER, 511 Hibernian Bldg. Phone F6472.

FOR SALE—
New eight (8) room two-story house, on east-front lot. Finished in hardwood. Close to Wilshire Blvd. This is the best buy in the Wilshire district; if you are looking for a fine house at a reasonable price here is your chance. Terms can be arranged.

See MR. CULVER,
With BRYAN & BRADFORD,
724 Van Nuys Bldg.,
60051. Los Angeles, Cal. Main 1751.

FOR SALE—SOME SACRIFICE.
BEAUTIFUL FOOTHILL SUBURBAN HOME.
I offer one of the most complete and attractive new, modern suburban foothill homes in Southern California, 25 minutes by car or auto from Broadway, 1¼ acres, highly improved. Fine 11-room modern, new house, orchard and garden, supplies more of everything than you can use. Not a thing forgotten about this place. I will sell it $10,000 under its real value.
Main 8400. W. T. BROWNRIDGE,
F2202. 401 Van Nuys Bldg., L. A., Cal.

FOR SALE—
214 N. Kingsley Drive, North Wilshire district. Best bargain in a 6-room bungalow in this high class section, all modern conveniences, hardwood floors, nicely papered, electric fixtures, furnace, lawn front and back; price $3900; $300 cash, $35 per month. Will rent for $35 per month and is worth $4500 spot cash. If you are in the market for a home on one of the nicest streets in the city, don't fail to see this at once. G. F. SHERER, 1001 Marsh-Strong Bldg. F1533, Main 1533.

FOR SALE—
$3750—EAST TERMS. A BARGAIN.
Beautiful new seven-room white plastered bungalow, on fine high lot, Hollywood way. All large rooms, hardwood floors, strictly modern, large garage. This property cost $4500. Contractor was obliged to take the property from owner, and must sell.

AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY,
4th Floor, Metropolitan Bldg., 5th and Broadway.
10545. Phones Bdwy. 2468.

FOR SALE—
SWELL COLONIAL BUNGALOW.
ADDRESS 100 S. HOBART.
Absolutely the finest bungalow ever built in the Wilshire district; painted white exterior; eight large, well-arranged rooms, living-room finished in French gray, size 18x24 feet; tile bath and tile sink; large garage; corner lot, 57x148 feet; paving and sewer paid; price only $7200; $2000 or more cash; no trades; worth $8500. See R. E. FORD, Metropolitan Bldg. 10545, Broadway 2468. Phone for auto appointment.

FOR SALE — BRAND NEW COLONIAL BUNGAlow in Wilshire district, 7 rooms and basement furnace and Ruud hot water heater, tile bathroom, living-room and dining-room finished in mahogany; beautiful breakfast-room and a big den with built-in bookcases, hardwood floors throughout; bedrooms and hall finished in old ivory; garage; to a responsible buyer excellent terms can be arranged; if you want an artistic and well-built home come and see. H. W. WITTEN, 112 N. Mariposa ave. 568615.

FOR SALE—
WELL, HOW ABOUT IT?
Are you going to pay your rent to yourself next year?
See The McCarthy Company's BUNGALOW BARGAINS.
You can be your own landlord
For $100 cash and $20 per month.
THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
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FOR EXCHANGE—
1300 Block on 5th St.

Elegant condition, hardwood floors throughout, built-in effects, submit offerings.

PIERCE,
FROM I-O-W-A.
CENTRAL BLDG.

FOR SALE—$100! $100! $100!
Balance at $12.50 per month will pay you a comfortable five-room home located one-half block from Santa Monica boulevard, near Vermont; gas, electricity and bath. Lot 65-foot front, chicken corrals, etc. This place is finely located and is a genuine snap at $1250.
AMBROSE L. HAMELL COMPANY,
F2696. 620 Story Bldg. Main 5567.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN. ONE BEAUTIFUL story and a half house, and one three-room house, on lot 50x145, with garage. Only 12 minutes from 3rd and Broadway. Will take $2000 cash and balance on a mortgage. Call at 1614 East 4th street, Sunday a.m., or Monday. Take an East 4th street car. PHONE BOYLE 2878.

FOR SALE—$2800.
A SPLENDID 6-ROOM BUNGALOW.
With entrance hall, front and back porch, etc. Near car line. $150 cash, balance $30 month.
THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
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FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL BUNGALOW HOME IN highest part of Wilshire district, fine paved street, 7 rooms, artistically arranged, every convenience, roses, vines, etc., owner's own home; must be sold at once, $1200 under real value; will sell furnished, ready to step into. 56972.

FOR SALE—FURNISHED; WILL GIVE ALL MY fine solid mahogany furniture free and sell home $3000 under actual cost of building and lot, a perfect home in every detail, in finest Wilshire district, very high east front lot, surrounded by beautiful homes, only used furniture a few months; can give immediate possession. 245 S. WILTON PLACE.

FOR SALE—NEW SIX AND SEVEN-ROOM BUNgalows. Finely decorated. Hardwood floors all through. Tile bath, extra toilet. Beautiful breakfast room, roomy garage, cement drive. High ground. West Pico way, near new high school. Must sell. Special price. F2544. 702 TRUST AND SAVINGS BLDG.

FOR SALE—FORECLOSURE SALE. WILL SACrifice, beautiful 5-room bungalow at Figueroa and 58th for $2900. Worth $4500. Will take $25 cash and $25 a month. This is the greatest opportunity in this town today. INVESTIGATE. Phone OWNER, A3106.

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE IN THE MARKET for a home, be it a cottage or a mansion, don't fail to consult our house and lot dept. A Happy New Year to all.
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626 Merchants Nat. Bank Bldg., 6th and Spring.

FOR SALE—OWNER HAVING GONE EAST, IS very anxious to dispose of her completely furnished 7-room bungalow, located in the beautiful southwest. If you wish a home all ready to occupy at $1650 less than actual cost, see E. V. BADLEY, 1158 West 54th street.

FOR SALE—
$3500 to $4500 for duplex house, lots or flat lots, between 8th and 9th street, west of Vermont ave. in The McCarthy Company's West 9th st. Heights tract.
60409. 637 S. HILL ST. MAIN 8172.

FOR SALE—8-ROOM 2-STORY, NEW, MODERN house, beautiful Altadena, artistically furnished with expensive furniture, 2 sleeping porches, large garage, elegant home. Very select location. D. A. VAN VRANKEN, 812 Hollingsworth Bldg.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL HOME, WEST HOLLYwood, near the hills, 12 large sunny rooms, large grounds, tennis court, magnificent view, unusual Hollywood bargain for $10,500; $4500 cash. OWNER, 1547 Sierra Bonita ave.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—ONE THOUSAND dollar real equity in 5-room house, balance twenty per month including interest. Look it over and make offer, Sundays or evenings. 1255 WEST 54TH ST., near Central. A9636.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER IN HOLLYWOOD, 8 room house, with sleeping porch and three baths, high ground, 70 feet front, 245 deep. Garage and chicken yards. Fruit of every kind. Full particulars by phoning 579681.

FOR SALE — TO COLORED PEOPLE, 5-ROOM modern bungalow, in West Jefferson district; lot 47x136; lawn and trees. Price $2150, $100 down, balance like rent. Address OWNER, 982 W. 52nd st.

FOR SALE—2 NICE LOTS SOUTHWEST CORNER, 5-room house and bath, furniture, garage, fruit trees, chicken corral, near 2 car lines. Only $2100. See OWNER, 5817 North Malabar st., between Slauson and 58th street. South 816.

FOR SALE—LARGE CORNER HOUSE, WEST Adams district, swell home, easily worth $5000; sacrifice price $3500; rental terms; location and house tremendous bargain; house open; come; mark this. 3003 S. HARVARD BLVD.

FOR SALE—$500 THIS WEEK WILL TAKE MY $1400 equity in my home. Phone SOUTH 6710R.

FOR SALE— BARGAIN. $2800.
1522 W. 29th st., near Budlong; also Vermont ave. school. J. HETTINGER, owner.

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FOR SALE—

ALL INTERESTED IN REAL ESTATE
KNOW
THERE IS A CONSTANT DEMAND FOR
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HOUSES AND FLATS.

Both for renting and selling.
You will be surprised at the great number of modern conveniences which we incorporate in our buildings, and at a little extra cost. And that is one reason we have no trouble renting or selling a building for our clients.
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Plans and specifications free of charge. Money loaned for building purposes.

C. F. BORTON CO., INC.,
GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS,
806-7 Hibernian Bldg.

WANTED—CONTRACTOR BUILDER, WHO CAN do good work and can use first mortgages. Forenoons, 942 HOOVER, 51328.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—FINE LOTS, WEST PART OF CITY, cheap for cash. Phone OWNER, mornings or evenings, 8 to 10, 74759.

FOR SALE—
UNLOADING
I will place on sale Tuesday, January 2, the last 25 lots in Windermere Park, at a reduction of from $500 to $3000 on each lot from present price.
Windermere Park is a tract of 60 acres divided into 213 lots; lies in the heart of the WILSHIRE DISTRICT. Half way between North Wilshire and Hollywood. All of the lots, except these 25, are sold to private individuals. No one owns two lots. The tract is closely restricted and these restrictions are rigidly enforced.
More improvements have been made in this section the last two years than in any other part of Los Angeles and more will be made in the next two years than elsewhere, including

SECOND STREET TUNNEL
SILVER LAKE PARK
BEVERLY BOULEVARD
IMPROVEMENTS WE HAVE

Every improvement to be found in the best residence district of Los Angeles.
Six of the best schools.
Six new churches; all English-speaking denominations.
All within easy walking distance.
In the past few years every lot in the tract has advanced from 150 to 400 per cent., which is more than any other residence tract in Los Angeles ever did in the same time.
This is the first reduction ever advertised or made in Windermere. When the above improvements are started all lots will double in price; many cannot be bought at all.
We have the best climate and the best street car service in Los Angeles. EVERY TWO MINUTES. This reduction gives you a large, high east front lot for $1500. Our neighbors ask $4500 for a similar one. No trades; no commissions. As long time as you want.
E. M. McGILLIN, Owner,
Suite 261, I. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—
40 choice building lots.
AT AUCTION.
SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 1:30 P.M.
On 73rd and 74th streets.
Raymond and Budlong aves.
Two blocks west of Vermont.
Five-cent car line.
These lots are exceptionally well located, in the city of Los Angeles.
Have graded streets, curbs, sidewalks, and trees planted.
Surrounded on three sides by artistic homes.
Terms $50 cash, balance $10 per month.
Take Vermont and Georgia car, marked "Manchester," or a Vermont Heights car at 4th and Spring.
Get off at Florence ave.
A positive and bona fide sale.
STROUSE & HULL, Auctioneers,
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FOR SALE—
MAKE YOUR HOME
SELF-SUPPORTING!
The ground you live on ought to help pay for your living. A quarter-acre of the fine, fertile soil at Sunnyside Garden Acres will do it, and give you an opportunity to bank something besides out of a salary. Quarter-acres as low as $625 and terms very easy. Situated on fertile elevated mesa with splendid view. Street improvements in and paid for. Vermont avenue car service, 5c fare. Only 36 minutes from business center. For free trip to property see or Phone EMIL FIRTH, 346 Broadway. 60167—Main 2543. Offices open Sunday forenoon.

FOR SALE—
ROSE HILL COURT.
$125 and up.
City lots on the Pasadena Short Line, 15 minutes from Sixth and Main streets; city water, gas, electric lights, schools and stores all handy. $5 down and $5 a month, no interest or taxes for 2 years.
See agent on tract at Rose Hill, or call at office.
GOLDEN STATE REALTY CO.,
A3411. Bdwy. 4240. 427 Central Bldg.

FOR SALE—
HIGH SCENIC HOME SITE,
ON WAY TO HOLLYWOOD.
Charmingly located among beautiful hills and glens. Only 12 minutes from Broadway. Magnificent view, all improvements, winding boulevards, terraced lawns, attractive homes. High class in every respect. Big lot only $675 on easy terms. See this fine property in my auto. MRS. SANDERSON, 346 South Broadway. (Ground Floor.) 60167—Main 2543.

FOR SALE—
$2600.
Lot on Van Ness avenue, 60x160. Here is a real buy if you want a fine residence lot.
See Mr. Culver,
with BRYAN & BRADFORD,
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FOR SALE—
TERRACE TRACT.
YOUR OPPORTUNITY FOR HOME IS RIGHT THERE.
Only 10 minutes from Broadway and 7th st., city center, with cement curbs and gutters, oil paved streets and sewers. $600 to $1000, $6 per month or more.
THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
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FOR SALE—
CLOSE-IN SACRIFICE!
$2500—$3500—$3500.
Just west of Pico and Figueroa street. Lot 50x125. We can deliver this fine apartment or flat site for $3500 for a few days. This lot is worth $5000.
KOSTER & PARKER,
324 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—
$2600.
Buy this lot and make yourself a New Year's present of $2400, payable on or before one year. 50x156 on Washington near Western. Street work paid. No restrictions.
GEORGE A. CORTELYOU CO.,
A1302. 534 Bradbury Bldg. Main 1302.

FOR SALE— $2500.
ARDMORE LOT, near
CORNER NINTH, 50x135, EAST FRONT.
$2500; restrictions; this is a bargain for cash.
LOOK for our sign.
R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY,
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60817. Sixth at Spring. Bdwy. 978.

FOR SALE—HOLLYWOOD FLAT BUILDING lots, 50x133, $1700, discount to immediate builders; excellent location for store building on ground floor. FRANK HOSKINS, 626 S. Spring. 60096; Bdwy. 363.

FOR SALE—UNRESTRICTED LOTS FOR FLATS in one of the highest-class, best built-up residence tracts in Hollywood. Building restrictions have just run out. A chance to get one of the few remaining vacant lots. A location equal to the Wilshire and commanding equal rents. Call at or write to 1019 N. WILTON PLACE.

FOR SALE—
$1250 to $2600 for lots in the North Wilshire district in the McCarthy Company's Wilton Heights tract, on high and sightly ground, elevation 252 feet above Wilshire blvd.
THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
60409. 637 S. Hill st. Main 8172.

FOR SALE—YOU BUILDERS!!
The best flat or apartment lot in town at a price that'll burst your purse open. 50x140, near Rampart apartments, only $3300. Get busy, price is cut to quick. See McGrath, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg. Main 1273. 60195.

FOR SALE—
$5000 CASH BUYS RESIDENCE CORNER.
120x186, opposite Hollywood's Castle, corner Franklin and Argyle. Reduced from $12,000. 57697 or F5692.

FOR SALE—WILL SACRIFICE MY EQUITY IN desirable residence lot on Westmoreland ave., near Ninth st. This lot was assessed at $1900 by joint city and county appraisal bureau; make offer. Call Main 8016 or Home 10731. Address MR. BENNETT, 633 E. First st., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—
Ideal location for a mansion at S.W. corner 10th and Gramercy. Finest viewpoint and building site in entire Wilshire district. For attractive price call or see MR. M'GRATH, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg. 60195—Main 1273.

FOR SALE—$750, $10 CASH, $10 MONTH. SOME splendid lots, inside city limits. Near Vermont ave. and street car. Why go further out and pay more?
THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
60409. 637 S. Hill st. Main 8172.

FOR SALE—50 UNEXCELLED RESIDENCE LOTS near Manual Arts school; all city improvements and advantages, including sewers and asphalt paving; $1000. PYRAMID INV. CO., Main 638, A1698; evenings, West 4798.

FOR SALE—$2500 FOR A LOT 50 FEET WIDE on Sunset Blvd.; close-in. This is the biggest snap in Los Angeles today. Will consider terms. ECKDAHL, 424 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

FOR SALE—$10,000 SACRIFICE.
Only $6500 for twenty-eight forty-foot lots, corners, paved, boulevard close to cars.
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FOR SALE—
$1800 to $5000, lots, all through the Wilshire, owned by the McCarthy Company. See us before you buy.
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FOR SALE — BUILDERS, PERFECTLY LEVEL lot, every improvement including sewer, 20 minutes on yellow line, reasonably restricted; $200 cash, balance second trust deed; price $700. YOUNG, A1631, Main 8855.

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FOR SALE—ACT FAST, 50 FEET SOUTH FRONT, on W. 12th st. near Union; way under value; half cash. The best buy in town. OWNER. 25802.

FOR SALE—TWO CHOICE LOTS, 75x140, ON Ambrose near Bramont. A decided sacrifice for cash. Address P. box 265, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
BEST HOME PLACE ON EARTH.
Lots opposite Hollywood castles, corner Franklin and Argyle. Reduced prices. 57697 or F5692.

FOR SALE—HOLLYWOOD LOTS, SACRIFICES. HAMMOND OR MOORE, 1135 Merchants National Bank Bldg., Main 1798, F7632.

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FOR SALE — BEST PICK-UP IN TOWN, $375 cash buys close-in lot, ready to build on. YOUNG, A1631, Main 8855.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE LOT AT SACRIFICE PHONE 54908.

FOR SALE— Acreage for Subdivision.

FOR SALE—400 ACRES AT SAN DIEGO, APproved and recommended by landscape architect of national repute for ideal homes with ample ground for flowers, fruit trees, etc., with charming views; price $100,000, terms; if properly handled should be very profitable. Address owner for particulars. R. F. KERR, 407 Watts Bldg., San Diego, Cal.

FOR SALE— Real Estate Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—

THE FLACK REALTY COMPANY WISH ALL ITS MANY CLIENTS A

HAPPY
PROSPEROUS
NEW YEAR.

AND OFFER BELOW
A CHOICE LISTING OF
EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS
WHICH WILL AID MATERIALLY IN
INCREASING YOUR PROSPERITY
IF YOU TAKE IMMEDIATE ADVANTAGE
OF THIS OPPORTUNITY.
REMEMBER WE STAND BACK OF EVERY
ONE OF THESE OFFERINGS:

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FOR SALE—
$7000.
EIGHT ROOMS.
TWO STORIES.
WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
This is a house of good appearance inside and out, it is well and conveniently arranged, rooms are all good size, closets exceptionally large, each closet has outside ventilation, there are four bedrooms, a sleeping porch with disappearing bed, breakfast room with buffet, cabinet kitchen, large living room with large stone fireplace, bookcases and window seats, beautiful staircase leading upstairs, dining room with beautiful buffet. French doors leading outside, window seat, large bathroom, upstairs, two toilets, one up, one downstairs, screen porch with two laundry tubs, cement basement with furnace. Lot 50x150, elevated about three feet above walk, fine lawn front and back, flowers and shrubbery. Garage with cement floor. This is a comfortable, cozy home, one that will appeal to anyone who appreciates a real home. See BUELOW OR RISING.

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FOR SALE—
WILSHIRE WHITE PLASTERED HOME
FOR PRICE OF MORTGAGE
on Oxford, between Third and Fourth sts. new, white, plastered, 11-room beautiful home. Reception hall, living-room, library and den, finished in Juana Costa mahogany, dining room in gum. All hand decorated, four large bedrooms and two tile baths, finished three months and must pay obligations, $1600 cash is required. Balance mortgage or can clear. Price $10,500. See ROY G. PHEBUS.

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FOR SALE—
$12,000 WHITE PLASTERED HOME
REDUCED TO $8200.
11 large nicely arranged rooms, finished in solid mahogany. Every room has paintings on canvas. Owner must leave the city at once, and will sacrifice place on easy terms. Lot 60x150. For information, call C. W. TEPSON.

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FOR SALE—
In new Vermont Square, a new 7-room bungalow, all hardwood floors, den and breakfast room, beautifully finished, house worth $4500. Will sell for $3500—$500 down and $30 per month. Make your wife a present of this home and start the new year right. See J. V. VAN GILDER.

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FOR SALE—
New 7-room bungalow on La Salle ave., between Adams and Jefferson; will sell cheap on terms or take in good building lot as part payment. See H. E. KING.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
CLEAR CITY AND CASH
FOR
GOOD UNIMPROVED CALIFORNIA LAND
TO
$175,000.
We have $125,000 worth of clear city property consisting of several good close-in corners on Figueroa and Sixth st., and $50,000 cash for a tract of land, "preferably San Joaquin Valley." Must be all in one body. No alkali or hardpan and with abundance of water, either developed or available. Won't pay over $75 per acre. See HULTS OR HADDOCK.

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WANT APARTMENT.
20-acre orange ranch, Valencias, 2½ miles southeast of Anaheim, ¼ mile from paved highway, trees coming 6 years old, packing house estimate 3300 packed boxes on the trees; owns one-fifth interest in watering plant. This is in the proven territory where good stuff is selling at a premium. Grove in good condition. Price $40,000. Mortgage $9500. Wants apartment house; will assume some. See M. T. HILDINGER.

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FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
40 ACRES
ALFALFA AND BEET LAND
Near Westminster, on boulevard, good soil. Price $12,000.
30 ACRES AT BURBANK.
6-room bungalow, barn, hog sheds, cow barn, chicken sheds, fenced and cross-fenced, electric pumping plant. Complete in every detail. See F. E. LAMBERTON.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
SAN FERNANDO VALLEY.
CITY OF VAN NUYS.
40 acres of peaches, 2 blocks from grammar school. This orchard is ripe for subdivision, but the owner is going East and will exchange near school, fine trees and best of soil, for flats or apartment house. Would assume if income is right. This property is clear. Submit offer to BUELOW OR RISING.

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WANT VACANT
FOR
8-ROOM HOUSE.
Good modern story and half 8-room house fine location, value $4000; mortgage $1500, 3 years, 7 per cent. Want country or vacant that will require no attention. See F. L. FABLING.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
CLEAR CITY
FOR
FARM LAND TO $200,000.
Have several pieces of desirable close-in income property, showing 6 per cent. net on price asked. Want large tract of land suitable for alfalfa or sugar beets. Prefer something which can be leased readily. See HULTS OR HADDOCK.

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FOR SALE—
A SNAP!
Must sell at once 10 acres, 4 years old. Valencia oranges on boulevard, in Orange county. Price $10,000, will make good terms. See E. M. WHITE.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
HAVE BUSINESS CORNER.
Consisting of 2 stores and four flats, good income producer. Will exchange for 8 or 10-room residence, clear, or nearly so. See ALBERT T. ALLEN.

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60195. MAIN 2226.
LOS ANGELES, CAL.

FOR SALE— Real Estate Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—PLENTY GOOD BARGAINS.
Nice new modern bungalow, 7 rooms and sleeping porch; fine location, 51st st., near Halldale, only $3500; easy terms.
Splendid 9-room modern residence, large lot, all kinds of roses and trees, wide paved street, fine scenic location at Pasadena; only $7500; half cash.
160 acres good level land, among pear orchards, best part Antelope Valley, near boulevard; $40 per acre; this is worth $60.
45 acres, splendid producing ranch, partly in walnuts, on paved boulevard, just 13 miles from center of Los Angeles; bargain at $40,000.
Beautiful 50-room new 3-story brick hotel building, one block from the ocean, in business center of Long Beach; leased to good tenant, etc.; fine bargain at $50,000. M. E. PERRY, 415 Bass Bldg.

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To be moved, one house of two large rooms, and one house of four large rooms; both unplastered; easily moved. Located near Echo Park. Call mornings, 1817 BELLEVUE AVE.

FOR SALE—WHY WAIT
until Saturday night to telephone your Sunday ads. to The Times? Do it Friday or early Saturday.

FOR SALE — NEARLY AT THEIR ASSESSED valuation, 17 lots, city and suburban. Apply NAZARIAN, 1135 N. Main st.

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ESTABLISHED 1894.
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POPULATION OF LOS ANGELES

1860—	3,700
1870—	5,728
1880—	11,093
1890—	50,395
1900—	102,479
1910—	319,198
1920—	1,000,000

FOR SALE—VERY LARGE, VALUABLE
IMPROVED BUSINESS CORNER, GRAND AVE.
THE COMING BROADWAY.
(WATCH GRAND AVE.)
PRICE $60,000. REFUSED $50,000 CASH.
WILL BE WORTH $100,000 WHEN
LOS ANGELES HAS 1,000,000 POPULATION.
OWNER, 930 SECURITY BUILDING,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

FOR SALE—GENERAL MERCHANDISE BUSIness in Arizona, stock will invoice around $45,000. Sales ten to twelve thousand dollars per month cash. Business established two years, its sales are strictly cash. Everything indicates that the sales will double in next 12 months. This is an exceptional opportunity for some individual or company to get a new established cash business that is a big money-maker. Will stand the closest investigation. Opportunity for still further profitable investment up to $160,000. Come in and let us introduce you to owner who has good reason for selling.
CUNNINGHAM REALTY CO., INC.,
60097. Suite 714 Central Bldg. Bdwy. 1982.

FOR SALE—BEST BARGAIN IN LOS ANGELES ON FIGUEROA ST., ADJ. SEVENTH STREET. WORTH $60,000 (55x165.) ASKING $39,850. "THINK" of buying property adjacent the largest "DEPARTMENT STORE" in LOS ANGELES and on the BEST main thoroughfare. This sounds ridiculous but the owner needs money and it MUST BE SOLD, and quick action is NECESSARY. Will be worth $100,000 in 5 years.
JOHN O. HALEY & COMPANY,
A3362. 601 Cons. Realty Bldg. M. 2165.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS LOT CORNERING ON alley, 50x125, on main paved thoroughfare. Within 12 minutes of business center, southwest. Unrestricted, suitable for stores, garage, apartment, factory or court, at less than $60 per front foot; worth $100 per front foot. Phone OWNER, 54280.

FOR SALE—SEE VAN VRANKEN FOR SNAPS. Stores on West Second street, just west of Figueroa, large lot, income $55 per month, can be doubled. Price only $12,000. Mortgage $7000 at 7 per cent.
D. A. VAN VRANKEN, 812 Hollingsworth Bldg.
F1686. Bdwy. 1686.

FOR SALE—JUST LISTEN. THE BUSINESS LOT on Olive st. has been reduced from $6000 to $4500; this is an opportunity for you to double your money in a short time. This price is $1500 below the actual cash value. $2500 cash will handle. 521 S. OLIVE ST.

FOR SALE—
CLOSE IN.
63 feet, San Pedro street, will be sold at a bargain.
BEN WHITE,
304 Bryson Block.

FOR SALE—117x150, CORNER, STREETS PAVED and paid for, $18,000, mortgage $10,000, 3 years, at 7 per cent. Semi-business property. Present income $110 per month, can be doubled. Snap. D. A. VAN VRANKEN, 812 Hollingsworth Bldg.

FOR SALE—OLIVE STREET, JUST SOUTH OF Pico, 50x120, nominal improvements, income $1000 per annum. Safe investment. Great speculative value. Buy close in at bargain price, $23,500. No trade. Address box 304, SAN PEDRO, CAL.

FOR SALE—MONETA AVE. FIRST INSIDE LOT north of 63rd, east front to alley, sewers and street work done; value $3250; sacrifice for $2500, clear, terms. See OWNER immediately for quick action. 712 Stewart st.

FOR SALE—HIGH CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, on South Hill street, the center of activity, large lot, for $32,500, 3 years, at 6 per cent. Some snap. D. A. VAN VRANKEN, 812 Hollingsworth Bldg.

FOR SALE—W. PICO CORNER. A BARGAIN, $10,000, half cash; worth $18,000. Phone OWNER, 8 to 10 mornings or evenings, 74759.

FOR SALE—100 FEET ON 14TH AND HILL sts. Easy terms. See LEVY, 419 Marsh-Strong Bldg. A4448.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE— Income Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—

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If tired of meager returns, let us exchange your holdings for new, high-class income properties, located in exclusive districts and leased to pay better than 10 per cent.
Conservatively priced at $15,000 to $60,000. Can accept clear city or country property in exchange.
For an attractive income, coupled with safety and stability, come to headquarters for high-class real estate investments. We look out for your interests and will not make a deal unless we know that you will be benefited.
GALE-WHITTEN COMPANY,
610 Security Building.
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HERE'S WHAT YOU WANT.

Swell 4-family flat building, just completed. Located in exclusive district, surrounded by fine homes. Rich interior finish, built-in features and all the very latest conveniences, including garages. A beauty; it will captivate you.
Leased to desirable tenants for $200 per month. Price only $25,000 and will accept clear city or country property in part payment. Investigate this choice one.
GALE-WHITTEN COMPANY,
610 Security Bldg.
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FOR SALE—BIGGEST SNAP IN LOS ANGELES. INCOME $170; BIG SACRIFICE; INCOME $170. I offer a 4-flat building, 3 rooms each and sleeping porch, almost new and well furnished; lot is 50x225, large double garage in rear. The back yard is beautiful. Prior to this year income has been $250 each month and should be that, as property will warrant it. In exclusive location. Only building of its kind in locality. Close to car line and only 30 minutes from Broadway. I can deliver this for $4000 below its actual value. Photos and information at my office. No exchange.
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FOR EXCHANGE—
New four-flat building, six rooms each, Hollywood, north of boulevard, on high ground, one block from car line. Rented by the year. No vacancies. Income $2400 a year. Price $27,500; mortgage $12,500, 3 years, 7 per cent.; will take clear property for the equity, city or country. See MR. CULVER.

BRYAN & BRADFORD,
724 Van Nuys Bldg.
60051. Los Angeles, Cal. Main 1751.

FOR SALE—VERY EXCLUSIVE APARTMENT-house on Ocean avenue, Long Beach. Income $8000. Will be $9000 soon. $80,000. Might exchange for clear income eastern ranch. For sale—12-room modern residence, on Hobart blvd. Leased for $1200 per year. $12,500 will buy. R. B. CAMPBELL CO., 218 Security Bldg., L. A. 63422.

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FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL 4-STORY BRICK apartment house, west side, east of Westlake Park, completely furnished, and which is paying better than $5500 net yearly, on loan, after deducting all carrying charges including interest on mortgage. What have you to offer worth $100,000 for the equity. R. F. HOWARD, 1229 Citizens Bank Bldg., F3038. Broadway 5150.

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for nearly new 2-story flat building
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Beautiful apartment-house of 67 rooms, located fairly close in and free from incumbrance; very nice semi-residence business district; business for last few years has been rapidly coming this way; fronting a beautiful avenue, with best car line in city. The house has single rooms as well as apartments; this gives two lines of guests instead of one, being a decided advantage. Plenty of private baths, steam heated; light and ventilation perfect; well furnished; front porches to each floor; front and side lawns; a large number of flowers, plants and palms on porches and lawn, making it a beautiful place; lot 60x180, facing east; is leased at $3600; price $40,000, including the furniture. Will consider $10,000 in exchange, some cash, balance mortgage back on premises. This property originally cost $50,000, and is worth more today. It is also in best of condition. Its location insures a steady advance in value. Call on premises, NO. 2625 SOUTH GRAND AVE., or write ALLEN, above address.

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Elegant new 5-room flat building in choicest part of Wilshire. Leased for $2400. Price $20,000; clear. Will take good clear property to $8000 in exchange. This is elegant property.
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An automobile accident forces quick action. Income bungalows, well located, paying $400 each month. This will stand up to price. There is a $15,500 equity here. What will you give for it? See MR. BROWNRIDGE,
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FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL NEW INCOME flat building, Wilshire district, clear or subject building mortgage; equities $10,000 to $75,000, for home, orange grove, ranch, vacant or eastern. ATTORNEY, 1026 California Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE BRICK AND FRAME apartment house and stores. Always rented. Average net income $3000 per year, $35,000. Bank loan $15,000. Want general ranch or good land. Ventura preferred. R. B. CAMPBELL CO., 218 Security Bldg. 63422.

FOR EXCHANGE—WELL BUILT 35-ROOM HOtel in live suburban town near L. A. Cash price $6000, incumbrance $2500. Owner on ranch and unable to attend to hotel. Wants eastern clear, or California with less incumbrance. Submit. P. L. DARLING, 218 Grant Bldg.

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$30,000 apartment building, completely furnished; built two years; good location; always well filled, with big income. Want a good grove with improvements. CHAS. E. THOMSON, A4114, Bdwy. 4115, 1106 Story Bldg.

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FOR SALE—OR LEASE—WELL CONSTRUCTED factory, area 7500 feet. 3443 S. OLIVE, adjacent S. P. tracks. Apply EGERTON SHORE, 407 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

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The handsomest 42 acres of land in Los Angeles in the highest point between Los Angeles and the sea, on the best avenue in the city.
At a reduction of $1500 per acre. This land faces 1000 feet on Vermont ave., running from 117th to 120th sts.
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The city's best appraisers have raised the value of these 42 acres the past year 25? per cent. Why did they do it?
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A money-making going ranch, 15 miles from center of Los Angeles, five miles from Hollywood, about one mile from the center of Lankershim, two blocks from the Pacific Electric Station. A [illegible] 50 acres in highly [illegible], highest and [illegible] in full-bearing fruit, [illegible] and [illegible] buildings, [illegible] for 50 hogs, [illegible] new cow corrals, fenced [illegible] vegetable gardens and house clustered with ornamental trees; we can offer this property at a [illegible] for $8500; it is a perfect bargain at that price. Unimproved land in vicinity is held at around [illegible]. Conditions are already changing and in a few months such snaps as these will be gone. If you can afford to own this property you will be doing yourself a kindness to at least investigate it. Half cash. Positively no trade.

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Mountain pergola, picnic grove, flowers and other attractive features. You can't duplicate the combination of superb location, grand view, ideal climate, mountain water, pure air and real home comforts.
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½ ACRE, HIGH GROUND.
Highly cultivated and improved. Assorted fruit trees, berries and vines on property. Also poultry yards and sheds. Water, gas, electricity. Fenced, half a block from paved boulevard. 5-cent car fare. Close to town. Unusual value for $1350. Pay $150 and move in, rest at rate of $15 monthly. A. L. SCANTLEBURY, 346 S. Broadway (ground floor.) 60167, Main 2543.

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FOR SALE—FINE CORNER ACRE WITH MODERN bungalow, all fenced, high and sightly, good soil, in Inglewood. Will be sold at a snap price on the easiest terms if taken at once. See INGLEWOOD REALTY CO., 130 N. Market st., Inglewood.

Lankershim.

FOR SALE—SUBURBAN HOME OF TEN ACRES on boulevard, improved with modern bungalow, garage, fruit trees. It is bargain at $6500. GOFF, 435 South Hill. Main 1460—A4275.

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FOR SALE—UNRESTRICTED LOTS FOR FLATS in one of the highest-class, best built-up residence tracts in Hollywood. Building restrictions have just run out. A chance to get one of the few remaining vacant lots. A location equal to the Wilshire and commanding equal rents. Call at or write to 1019 N. WILTON PLACE.

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FOR SALE — $15,000 WILL HANDLE TWO large adjoining lots, one with 14-room bungalow, best situation in Hollywood for court, flats, etc. Balance terms. Full particulars. PHONE [illegible].

FOR SALE—3⅓ ACRES, NORTH OF HOLLYwood blvd., fine for bungalow court, apartment or beautiful villa home site. This is high-class. For particulars write B. C. EDWARDS, owner, 24 Park ave., Venice, Cal.

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FOR SALE—160 ACRES, HIGHLY IMPROVED, imperial land, with water, now in alfalfa and crops; $100 acre; can use city for part. J. A. FOOT, 204 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—160 ACRES NEAR PASO ROBLES, improved, house, barn, water, fenced, planted to wheat last year; widow forcing sale at $40 acre. W. A. RYON, 204 Bradbury Bldg.

Antelope Valley.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE! 640 ACRES ON BOULEvard, near Lancaster. Must be sold. Make offer. BOWES REALTY CO. (INC.), 1012 Trust and Savings Bldg., Sixth and Spring streets.

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FOR SALE—CHEAP AGRICULTURAL LANDS IN Arizona, long time payment, 5 per cent. interest. HART & PETERSEN, 113 N. 4th st., Santa Ana, Cal.

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FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE— 91-Acre Dairy Ranch. Sixty acres alfalfa, balance ready. Pumping plant, electric motor, underground pipes, surface pipes, small house, hay barn with cement floors, cement milk house, ice box, cream separater, steam boiler, 26 cows, horses, milk route. Want stock merchandise.

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FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE— I have bargains in Tulare and Fresno county alfalfa ranches. E. D. COWAN, Main 3440. 228 Van Nuys Bldg., L. A., Cal.

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Perris Valley.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE— 265 Acres, Pleasant Valley. Near Perris, 100 alfalfa, 40 corn, 110 barley; 6-room house, bath, toilet, barn, bunk house, implement shed; pump house, gas engine; all ready to move in. Price attractive. Exchange for eastern.

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FOR SALE—EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY, 40 acres in Perris Valley, abundant water, no payment for two years, interest at 5 per cent. Owner, H. H. KNOX, 311 W. F st., Ontario, Cal.

Santa Cruz.

FOR SALE—RANCHES, HOMES, ACRES. FREE list. WILSON BROS., Santa Cruz, Cal.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

Redlands.

FOR SALE— Cottage at 122 Washington st., nicely located, 60-foot front, 6 rooms and sleeping porch, with bath, nice lawn and trees; house has just been repaired and roof painted; all first-class condition, and a nice home. Price $2500.

Property clear; will make good terms. Would take some trade. Could use a brand new automobile, or would consider leasing for one year to reliable parties, $17.50 per month; tenant pay water. Would build garage if necessary. See owner. R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY, 614-16-18 Trust and Savings Bldg. 60817. Sixth at Spring. Bdwy. 978. Los Angeles.

Riverside.

FOR SALE— BEET LAND. 4000 acres, can't be beat. Walnuts, apricots or peaches. Joins town. Railroad runs through property; level, soil 30 feet, 500 inches water. Excellent subdivision. Adjoining land $250 to $600; $92.50 per acre if sold by January 15th.

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San Fernando Valley.

FOR SALE—VERY FINE, WELL IMPROVED, 5-acre ranch, near Lankershim; house, barn; set to peaches and apricots; horse and buggy, tools, machinery and poultry go with place. Price $3500; very easy terms, 6 per cent. F2544. 702 TRUST AND SAVINGS BLDG.

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FOR SALE—5 ACRES AT ALPAUGH IN TULARE county, $50 per acre. V. A. PATTERSON, 413 East 7th St.

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FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE— One or All. Seventeen sections, 75 per cent. tillable, 25 per cent. grazing, near gas fields that supply Texas city. Price $10 per acre. Want exchange, balance one-third cash.

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FOR SALE—OR TRADE—BEAUTIFUL IMPROVED acre on Burr avenue, 5-room bungalow, oranges, fruits, all kinds, $3500 cash value; terms. MAIN 1690, 67001.

Placentia.

FOR SALE— 20 Acres, Placentia. Depot one mile. Frostless belt. Full bearing Valencia, four acres walnuts, water stock, house, barn, garage. Price $22,000; income $4800. Price attractive, made by estate.

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FOR SALE—OCEAN FRONTAGE WITH WOODed canyons, running water, springs; most picturesque beach in Southern California; two hours' drive from this city. Syndicate now forming—each man gets several hundred feet of ocean frontage at very low figure. Opportunity for one or two more to join. No agents. Address immediately, ROUTE 11, BOX 385, LOS ANGELES.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY—

FOR EXCHANGE— SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY. 350 acres, suitable for oranges or lemons, between Porterville and Richgrove, two miles from railroad. Abundance water, low rate, electric power and lighting; want land Middle West.

PIERCE, From I-O-W-A, Central Bldg.

FOR SALE— 246 ACRES, IMPROVED, NEW BUILDINGS, Kings county, near Hanford, on Santa Fe. 160 acres in barley, balance in pasture and for other crops. New pumping system; water stands at 10 feet, all level land; choice location; modern buildings; snap, price $125 per acre; terms. WM. E. DeWITT (exclusive) 926 Investment Bldg.

FOR SALE—SPECIAL, 280 ACRES FINEST LEVEL alfalfa, wheat, rice and sugar beet land, in Tulare county, on Santa Fe R. R., at station; water at 10 feet, $80 acre, terms. WM. E. DeWITT, 926 Investment Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—HIGH-CLASS SAN JOAQUIN Valley land will exchange clear for clear Southern California property, city or country. 523 WASHINGTON BLDG. F2908.

FOR SALE—120 ACRES ALFALFA OR SUGAR beet land, gravity water; leased for 3 years, at $10 acre per year. My price $100 per acre. T. B. THOMPSON, 212 E. Olive ave., Monrovia, Cal.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER. Ten sections of rich level farming land in Fresno county, $22.50 per acre; easy terms. Apply to M. W. MULLER, 315 Forsyth Bldg., Fresno, Cal.

IMPERIAL VALLEY—

FOR EXCHANGE—$22,000, CLEAR, 160 ACRES near Brawley, Imperial Valley, all under cultivation; this is a going ranch, a big money maker. Price includes implements and some stock. Place has good improvements and fully watered. Will guarantee a lease for $2000 a year. Want L. A. or Hollywood home to ½, balance mortgage.

$28,500, mortgage $4000—I have two of the very finest ranches, one mile of Holtville, finely improved, finest soil, nothing better in Imperial Valley. Want income to full amount. CHAS. E. THOMSON, A4114, Broadway 4115. 1105 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD IMPROVED IMPERIAL Valley farms and bringing handsome incomes. Wants coast property. I want Imperial Valley for good Nebraska farms. Owners here; will give good deals. I have Imperial Valley, all improved and under lease, for Iowa, Illinois and other eastern States.

DUANE BENNETT, A5794. 711 Grant Bldg. Main 7107.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—I HAVE SOME very desirable improved and unimproved farms at very attractive prices. I have lived and farmed in the valley 10 years. Write or call on me for further particulars. I have improved cotton land that will produce a bale to the acre at $50 per acre. Other equally good buys. E. A. ALLEN, 622 Security Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—MY CLAIM OF 312½ ACRES GOOD level land, in Imperial Valley, surrounded by improved and proven claims, near Holtville. No money needed if security satisfactory. Phone Vermont 2463 or write MRS. E. HARRINGTON, 4301 South Grand ave., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE— To close estate offer two 40-acre desert filings. Also one 160 desert filing. Address L. J. THOMAS, care Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Imperial, Imperial, Cal.

COACHELLA VALLEY—

FOR SALE— We specialize in Coachella Valley lands and handle only the best and only bargains. Ask for map and illustrated folder. If you want to buy, sell or exchange, call or write fully. It will pay you to see me. C. O. MOSS, Manager Country Land Department, THE FRANCE INVESTMENT COMPANY, 801 Union Oil Bldg. F5997, Broadway 3344.

FOR SALE — CALIFORNIA DATE GARDEN. Cared for if desired. An income for life. Easy terms. Samples free. CO-OPERATIVE DATE GROWERS' SYNDICATE, 327 W. Third, city. A3307.

FOR EXCHANGE—20, 40, 80, 160 AND 250-acre improved ranches, all producing, alfalfa, dates and other crops. Want Los Angeles, will consider eastern; submit. O. L. BOHLEN, 710 Black Bldg. M. 9138, F3076.

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY—

FOR SALE — BY OWNER, ON VERY EASY terms, or will exchange, 300 to 900 acres farming, grazing and fruit land, partially improved. Address M, box 398, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

SACRAMENTO VALLEY—

FOR SALE — 10 ACRES, NEAR CORNING, graded, cultivated, good for early oranges, almonds, olives, peaches, turkey and chicken district; price $1500. Owner wishes to return to England, sacrifice for $1000 cash. Address O, box 137, TIMES OFFICE.

EASTERN-NORTHERN PROP'TY For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR EXCHANGE—SAN FRANCISCO, FIRST-CLASS apartment-house, income between $15,000 and $16,000 annually. Price $125,000. Want Los Angeles or vicinity to $60,000. 618 STORY BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—OUR HOME, FURNACE, GArage, etc. Want New England, midwest or northern city or country. Address owner, M, box 319, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLAR EQUITY IN GOOD irrigated forty in Southern Idaho. Address J. H. BOWER, Van Nuys, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT TO EXCHANGE CLEAR eastern acreage, $3000, and city rented bungalow, for city lots. FILLEY, 515 Union Oil.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—5-ACRE 7-YEAR-old apple orchard, Payette district, Idaho. Address J. H. BOWER, Van Nuys, Cal.

EASTERN-NORTHERN PROP'TY For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT AT ROCHELLE PARK (RIDGEWOOD,) N. J., located on Hudson River trolley, Edgewater to Paterson, two miles from Hackensack, and nine miles from ferry at 130th street, New York City. House, 7 rooms, cellar and attic. Lot 100x126; electricity, telephone, pure well water pumped to tank in attic by electricity; fruit trees, garden, lawn, location perfectly healthy, sandy loam soil, near neighbors, house in fine repair; sunlight in every room; furnace heat; owner desires to come to California and will exchange for good property of approximately equal value. Preferably in or near Los Angeles. Value about $6500, mortgage $2000. For further particulars see CHAS. VAN VALKENBURG, 805 Story Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal., or address owner, MRS. S. H. MOORE, 1031 Ingraham st., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE— LOS ANGELES FOR EASTERN. Exchange your eastern holdings for new, attractive income properties, conservatively priced at $15,000 to $60,000. Located in exclusive districts and leased to pay better than 10 per cent. We are headquarters for high-class real estate investments that offer an attractive income coupled with safety and stability, and if your property is clear we can give you an excellent deal.

GALE-WHITTEN COMPANY, 610 Security Bldg. Main 4911. A5848.

FOR EXCHANGE—I WANT EASTERN FOR CALIfornia. I have several hundred clients living in eastern States. They own good California city and improved ranches that pay. They want eastern farms and city property. You can see why. I also want California to exchange for eastern city and farms. I have good Iowa, Illinois, Missouri, Minnesota, Michigan, Kansas, Nebraska, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota. These want California because they live here. Come in, let's talk it over. I can get you dollar for dollar for your property. Phone, write or call.

DUANE BENNETT, Main 7107. 711 Grant Bldg. A3794.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE— New York. $3,350,000—Income $335,000; for lands. $2,900,000—Income $208,500; for lands. $1,250,000—Income $96,573; for lands. Chicago. $3,000,000—Income $350,000; for lands. $1,500,000—Income $100,000; for lands. $500,000, clear—Inc. $50,000; for lands. Also about 15 Ill. and Ind. farms. Will gladly co-operate with direct agents. O. E. VAN SLYKE, A2130. 916 Story Bldg. Main 7286.

FOR EXCHANGE— 320 ACRES, GARDEN CITY. Sugar beets and alfalfa; level, beet factory one mile; water by pumps or county ditch; priced $24,000; want agricultural Los Angeles county, equal value; may assume.

PIERCE, from I-O-W-A, Central Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—EASTERN FOR CALIFORNIA my specialty. Tell me what you have to offer from any part of the United States, I can match it. In writing state all particulars, viz., price, location, income, improvements, incumbrance, if will assume here, etc. I GET RESULTS. References given. O. A. NICKERSON, 618 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—40-ACRE ALFALFA RANCH, 5 miles east of Perris, full stand of alfalfa, 5-room modern house, barn, domestic well and windmill, 125 inches of water at $1 per hour. Price $12,000, clear. Owner a nonresident, and will consider income property at St. Louis or vicinity. HARFORD & GREENLEAF, Perris, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—500 ACRES, FINE FARM IN southern Oregon, Klamath county; ¼ mile from small town, lots of water for stock and irrigation purposes; 400 acres can be easily irrigated; this is a bargain at $25,000. Will trade for apartments or close-in lots. See Owner, CHARLES MURRAY, 303 South Hill St. Phone Main 1596.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—A NUMBER OF clear eastern properties for equities in properties between Fifth and Tenth streets, Main street, and Grand avenue. Please submit description of property income, amount of incumbrance and price of equity. Agents' co-operation solicited. M. L. WICKS, 726 Story Bldg.

WANTED—EASTERN IN OR NEAR CHICAGO for my beautiful eight-room full two-story home, near Wilshire blvd., complete in every detail, on corner, 15 minutes from downtown. Price $8500. Mortgage $3500, 7 per cent. Have also 7 suburban acres and clear lots worth $11,000. Will consider eastern property to about $15,000 and give you best of deal for quick action. Address K, box 326, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE — 40 ACRES AT Oleta, Amador county, six miles from Plymouth, where is great mining activity. This land is both agricultural and mining. Runs the "Cooper Mine," which has produced large sums, same ledge runs through this 40 acres land, is under state ditch, is good Bartlett pear land. Title perfect, land unincumbered, what have you to trade. Address DR. F. S. TAYLOR, 201 Coulter Bldg., L. A.

FOR SALE—BE A PRODUCER, FARMER IS king. Buy in this high-class colony, east of Oakland, in old proven district, for alfalfa, hogs, dairying, vegetables, chickens, fruits, market, all the bay cities, gravity water in and paid for by owner. Will give workers and producers special terms. Price $250 to $300. No trade considered. Address P, box 271, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—GROSS INCOME $7000, BUFfalo, N. Y., apartment-house, central location. Net income 5 per cent., on $75,000 valuation. Mortgage $30,000 at 4½; can run. Want good orange grove. Will assume some if deal warrants it. W. T. BROWNRIDGE, L. A., Cal., F2302. 401 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 3400.

FOR EXCHANGE—2100-ACRE STOCK, DAIRY and fruit ranch, 75 miles north of San Francisco; value $70 per acre; mortgage $45,000, nine years at 6 per cent. Want Southern California income property. Will sacrifice for quick deal. EDWARD BATES, 324 Wilcox Bldg. Telephone 12887.

FOR EXCHANGE—HOLLYWOOD, $7000, CLEAR, want Chicago, north, Chicago flat building. $35,000, mortgage $8000, want Los Angeles income. Oak Park apartment, $85,000, mortgage $40,000, income $11,700, for Los Angeles, and other properties. PHELPS, 410 Byrne Bldg., or SKIDMOR, 1114 Hartford Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

FOR EXCHANGE—6-ROOM MODERN BUNGAlow, Venice, close-in, value $4000; want Oakland or Berkeley to $3500, clear, 1 lot, Manhattan Beach, value $800, clear. 80 acres, Riverside county, value $2000, clear. Want San Francisco. Address P, box 270, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—IF LOOKING FOR A HOME IN CALifornia, see me, I know the bargains. If you want to buy a ranch, I know every corner, also values. I can exchange your eastern property. Best of references. O. A. NICKERSON, 618 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE — WE HAVE A choice level tract of valley land close to railway in Southern Utah, suitable for colonization purposes. Excellent sugar beet, wheat and potato land. Will sell in tracts to suit or exchange for Canada, Dakota or Minnesota. REESE LAND CO., Hippee Bldg., Des Moines, Iowa.

WANTED — GOOD EASTERN FARMS, PREFER Iowa, Indiana, Illinois, Ohio or Middle West, or good eastern city income property. Will give Los Angeles income property or orange grove or groves, and might add cash; can match any deal from $5000 to $500,000. Address PK, box 383, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—SALT LAKE RESIDENCE FOR Los Angeles, $6500. Los Angeles income, $6500 to $30,000, for Oakland, Berkeley or San Francisco. 640 acres British Columbia, $9000, for Southern California. Battle Creek, Michigan, residence, $7000 clear; want Pasadena or city same value. 618 STORY BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE— We handle all kinds of exchanges. We want large tracts of eastern lands for Los Angeles properties. See Mr. Hughes, THE McCARTHY COMPANY, 60409. 637 South Hill st. Main 8172.

FOR EXCHANGE—320 ACRES IN RED RIVER Valley, near Breckenridge, Minn. Fine improvements. Fine land, all under cultivation. Will trade for Southern California property. No junk considered. T. J. KARR (owner,) 1253 WEST 36TH PLACE, Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE—104 ACRE DAIRY, WITH good improvements, and 120 acres in alfalfa, close to town, in Tulare county, California, to trade for Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, or Illinois stock ranch of equal or less value. A. B. SELLARS, Exeter, Cal.

FOR SALE—80 ACRES OF CHOICE FRUIT land close to Exeter, Tulare county, Cal., to trade for Iowa land. Is on boulevard. Clear. Price $18,000. For further information call on or address A. B. SELLARS, Exeter, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—TAKE 20 MINUTES OF OUR time and tell or write us what you have. HERNANDO D. WOOD CO., 412 Title Insurance Bldg. F2432. F2432.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR EASTERN, CITY TO $3500. Will give duplex house, new, two garages, all leased. Price $8500. Incumbrance $4900. This would make an ideal home. Address PK, box 497, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE— I have bargains in Tulare and Fresno county alfalfa ranches. E. D. COWAN, Main 3440. 228 Van Nuys Bldg., L. A., Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — 75 ACRES, FINE TIMBER land, 20 miles from Portland, $2000, clear; will trade for equity in bungalow, lots or acres, submit. DILLON, 602 Hibernian Bldg. 62204. Main 2586.

FOR EXCHANGE—400 ACRES WHEAT LAND, Utah, one crop pays for land. $8000; incumbrance $2200. Submit Southern California. TOMLINSON, 1105 Story Bldg. 14114.

FOR EXCHANGE—32 MILES FROM NEW YORK, 14-room residence, clear, income $60 a month; want local, income or near-by acreage to $20,000. THE CENTURY SYNDICATE, 1114 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—ATLANTIC COAST PROPERTY, CITY or country, improved or unimproved, for Southern California, bank appraisement, give or take difference, quick fair exchange desired. Owner, box 984, TIMES OFFICE, Long Beach.

FOR EXCHANGE — WANT TEXAS COUNTY, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Kansas, land for 3 lots, $3000; beautiful corner bungalow home, southwest, $6500; 10-room 14th near Main, $8500. FRANK BAIERSKI, 235 Bryson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR LOTS, SAN DIEGO and Seattle, and residences, Kansas City and Los Angeles, for equity in Los Angeles apartment-house. C. J. COLDEN, 1111 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—I. H. SHOEMAKER WILL EXchange your property. 1111 STORY BLDG. (New location.) F3881—Main 6331.

EASTERN-NORTHERN PROP'TY For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

WANTED—EASTERN INCOME OR CLEAR, HAVE 80 acres partly improved, flowing well, near high school and railroad, $12,000, mortgage $3500. DESNOYERS, 312 Story Bldg. F7469. Main 7468.

FOR SALE—60,000-ACRE CATTLE AND SHEEP ranch with all buildings and equipment complete, in Tehama county; price $10 per acre. See EDWARD BATES, 324 Wilcox Bldg. Telephone 12887.

FOR EXCHANGE—ONLY TO OWNERS WHO want a good large business corner lot, Highwood, Ill., close to Chicago. Want 6-room bungalow, Moneta avenue, Main street, or Central ave. 1111 WEST 11TH ST., 53050.

FOR EXCHANGE—I MAKE A SPECIALTY IN EXchanging California, northern and eastern real estate. Owners should give particulars what they have and what they want in first letter. GEO. MUELLER, 424 Rita st., Huntington Park, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—LOS ANGELES PROPERTY for eastern, about $7000, business or residence property. ALBERT SWANSON, 3564 S. Normandie.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL NEW SUBURBAN residence, large grounds, double garage, delightfully located, $5000. 824 INVESTMENT BLDG. 62184.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—GOOD FARM IN IRrigated country, Colorado. BOX 342, Anaheim, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—CALGARY, CAN., CLEAR lots and acreage, anything here and assume. Address K, box 462, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

GOVERNMENT LAND—

ARIZONA STATE LAND CHEAPER THAN GOVernment land. Minimum price $3 per acre, 38 years to pay. Any citizen over 18 years can buy 640 acres. Occupancy unnecessary. CUNNINGHAM REALTY COMPANY, INC., 60097. Suite 714, Central Bldg. Bdwy. 1982.

AM HOMESTEADING NORTH OF "OLD BALdy," there's 320 near me open, show it for $80. Can trade improved relinquishment for city, value $3000. Both good water conditions. CHARLES, 433 S. Flower. 61563; Bdwy. 992.

"THOUSANDS OF VALUABLE CLAIMS," HOW and WHERE to find government land. Locator not necessary. Hundred-page magazine, "New." Call or mail $1. HOMESEEKERS' GUIDE, suite 225, Johnson Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

40 ACRE RELINQUISHMENT, VALUE $900, 5 miles from Brawley, will exchange for 1916 automobile or clear lot. Give full description. Address BOX 903, BRAWLEY, CAL.

"SOLDIER WARRANT," CALLING FOR 160 acres in any land district; better than scrip; very reasonable. HOMESEEKERS' GUIDE, 356 S. Broadway, suite 225.

EXCELLENT LEVEL LAND, HALF MILE FROM railroad; water 20 feet; $1 per acre. Relinquishment. RHODES, 422 Washington Building.

42 MILES FROM HERE, 160 ACRES; BOULEVARD runs through; $300. 356 S. BROADWAY, suite 225.

VACANT LAND FOR HOMESTEAD OR "DESERT Act." Some improved; all tillable; 50c for locating. Address N, box 142, TIMES OFFICE.

OIL PROPERTY—

FOR SALE— THE BEST SPECULATION IN LOS ANGELES WITHOUT RISKING ONE CENT. I own 40 acres, facing on Main street 1600 feet (132nd to 135th sts.,) running back to Moneta ave. the same distance, or 1600 ft. square. On this 40 acres the BEST GEOLOGISTS IN THE STATE say lies the largest body of oil in Los Angeles county. I have refused to lease it to several people who wanted it; one of them, worth millions, and said to be one of the best business men in this city, said to me: "So firmly have the best geologists convinced me there is a large body of oil here, if you lease it to me I will put down two test wells at a cost of over $30,000. If we find oil in paying quantities I will put down six more wells, or any eight wells in all, at a cost of over $200,000, all out of my own pocket." I have had these 40 acres carefully surveyed before the oil excitement by two of the best surveyors in Los Angeles and laid out into 186 lots (all 50 feet or over.) (I can sell it in six months.) After making very low prices and deducting all expenses I will make a handsome profit of $100,000. Honest real estate men will tell you the courts are the lowest valuations of real estate. Adjoining me, but not near as well car service, being much lower and not as good car service, a tract is being laid out. A street car company took three acres. After a bitter fight before a judge and jurors the lot owners were awarded $2500 an acre a month ago. I will sell you my 40 acres for $2400 per acre and throw in my prospects for several hundred thousand dollars worth of oil. No trades; no commissions; all the time you want. E. M. McGILLIN, Suite 201, I. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—420 ACRES FIRST-CLASS OIL LAND, Ventura county; part patented, oil rights intact; has two anticlines forming anticlinal dome; just right for formation of company. Price $15 per acre. ERNEST SPURLOCK, 223 Central Bldg.

FOR SALE—OIL LANDS. 80 acres, patented, Midway field. 180 acres, patented, Arnold field. 500 acres, patented, Ventura field. J. R. DEPUE, 319 Delta Bldg.

WANTED — LEASES ON PROSPECTIVE OIL lands in Kern county upto 10,000 acres. Address PK, box 494, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—IMMENSE OIL PROJECT. O. E. VAN SLYKE, 916 Story Bldg.

ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES— For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE— ORANGE GROVE BARGAINS. Low prices quoted to insure an early sale. No exchange. All well located, fine condition, crop estimate stated.

$16,500, 10 acres, estimate of crop now on trees, between 6000 and 7000 boxes.
$18,000, heavy crop, buildings.
$17,000, 10 acres, 6000 boxes, building.
$25,000, 20 acres, 8000 to 10,000 boxes.
$13,000, 9 acres, mostly Valencias, heavy crop.
$10,000, 5 acres, heavy crop, good buildings.
$14,000, 20 acres, fine bearing foothill lemon grove.

Full bearing lemon grove, 10 acres, near the foothills. An immense crop on the trees. Other REAL SNAPS in orange and lemon groves, 15 years in the realty business at Pomona. J. A. FITCH, Brady Bldg., Pomona.

FOR SALE—BUY AN ORANGE OR LEMON GROVE, DIRECT FROM OWNER. I have the exclusive agency for about 1000 acres of the very choicest foothill frostless orange and lemon groves. These groves will stand the very closest inspection. There is nothing choicer in California. The soil is ideal. Abundance of water and absolutely the finest location for beautiful homes. Protected from the frost and wind. I am offering this property in 5, 10 and 20-acre tracts, from one-year-old trees to full bearing at prices from $750 up, on easy terms, 5 years time, at 6 per cent. I can also arrange to take care grove if so desired. JOSEPH W. CLINE, Main 3400. F2302. 401 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — VICTORIA HILL, MOST beautiful building site in Riverside, only one and one-half miles out, 19 acres in large bearing navels, shade trees and flowers. Gage water, must be seen to be appreciated, you get one of the most beautiful views in Southern California. The top of the hill is arranged for a building site, leveled off, and shrubbery growing. It is a valuable piece of property. One can retain the top of the hill for a building site and make a swell subdivision of the rest. Bank loan $16,000. Price $40,000. Prefer land in South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas or Omaha property. Will consider Los Angeles or Pasadena. Will assume. F. J. BOHR, Riverside, Cal.

FOR SALE—A GENUINE BARGAIN. YOUNG ORCHARD—WALNUTS AND VALENCIA ORANGES. Death of owner and eastern heirs order sold, 60 acres of the finest gentleman's home place, within 30 minutes from Broadway, about 40 acres in choice bearing young orchard. A good modern bungalow and garage, also good outbuildings, plenty of cheap water. Price $1000 per acre and it is the cheapest and best buy in the market. Any reasonable terms. See W. T. BROWNRIDGE, F2302. 401 Van Nuys Bldg., L. A., Cal. M. 3400.

FOR SALE— ORANGE LAND ON BOULEVARD. I have 5 or 10 acres of very choice land for sale in San Fernando valley near foothills. Only one-third mile from paved San Fernando boulevard. Protected from winds and storms by nearby hills. Established poultry district. No better soil or location anywhere for citrus fruits, avocados and all gardening and fruit raising. Will sell very cheap and give long time to pay. H. A. METZGER, 346 South Broadway. (Ground Floor.) 60167. Main 2543.

FOR SALE— 1000 acres at LA SIERRA HEIGHTS, adjoining Riverside. 500 acres orange and lemon land, $375 per acre. 500 acres sugar beet and walnut land, $275 per acre. Selling in tracts five acres up with water. Write, phone or call for full information. CALIFORNIA INDUSTRIAL COMPANY, (Phone Broadway 888,) 1121 Citizens National Bank Bldg., Fifth and Spring, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—ORANGE GROVE. I offer a choice acre and one-eighth in the city of Anaheim; 65 trees, 5 years old; Valencia and 14 walnuts trees, full bearing, and one share of water stock Anaheim Union Water Co., a snap, owner needs cash. Will sell for $1500, half cash, balance terms. Let me show you this bargain. FRANK W. REYNOLDS, 427 Central Bldg. Bdwy. 4240, A3411.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE— A fine 20-acre orange grove in the famous Glendora district, fine rich soil and no stone, ½ navels and ½ Valencias; trees are full bearing; $6000 crop now on the trees; the owner lives in the East and will sell for $30,000. The grove is clear. Will give good terms. Would consider a good eastern farm in exchange. JOSEPH W. CLINE, Main 3400. F2302. 401 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD 10-ACRE FULL BEARing grove and large residence, Upland. Want good undeveloped California land to $20,000. See me for Ontario and Upland groves and property. Bargains in full bearing groves, $1100 to $2500 per acre. Also exchanges. R. B. CAMPBELL, 218 Security Bldg. 65422.

FOR SALE—NAVEL ORANGE GROVE, LARGE trees, fine condition, cheapest grove in State, 10 acres, heavy crop included, at normal prices; will pay one-fourth price of grove, $7500; mortgage $4000 can assume. Phone 1314. F. M. PENDER, Corona, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, 5 IN VALENCIAS, 5 in lemons, near Anaheim; price $7500; will take bungalow up to $3000; balance mortgage or cash. Address K, box 577, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—10-ACRE FULL BEARING grove, Ontario. Good 9-room residence, $25,000, clear. Want income property. $15,000. Remainder long time. R. B. CAMPBELL CO., 218 Security Bldg. 65422.

ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES— For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE— NEAR PASADENA, AND THE FINEST GROVE IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Ten acres in full bearing Valencias and 2 acres in navels. I represent responsible party who will give $15,000 cash for crop now on trees. Splendid, modern house, garage, etc. On boulevard. A gentleman's home and a money maker. PRICE BELOW ACTUAL VALUE. REASONABLE. R. R. CRABTREE, 802 Story Bldg. Telephones: Broadway 379; [illegible]

FOR SALE — SOME BARGAINS IN [illegible] groves, 90 acres in fine location [illegible] crop, $600 per acre, 70 acres on [illegible] boulevard and well cared for, $700 [illegible] 100 acres among the best and [illegible] crop, $750 per acre, 150 acres, [illegible] to bear. A bargain, $850 per acre. This is high and sightly, good [illegible] $1000 per acre. A. E. SHINN & [illegible] Leighton ave. 77342.

FOR SALE—PART EXCHANGE, BIG [illegible] for cash. Am offering my artistic [illegible] —A1 orange grove, big crop, foothills [illegible] live oaks; 10-room modern house [illegible] parked grounds. Owner. Address [illegible] TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—12 LOTS IN ORANGE [illegible] room cottage, in Riverside, clear, [illegible] property to same value or less at [illegible] Angeles or Pasadena. F. J. BOHR, [illegible] Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—$25,000, CLEAR, [illegible] Valencias. Trees loaded with fine [illegible] best of location, improvement of the [illegible] Want Los Angeles, Frisco or Oakland [illegible] CHAS. E. THOMPSON, A4114; Bdwy. [illegible] Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES IN ORANGES [illegible] side. Half Navels, half Valencias. [illegible] crop. Old house and barn. Good [illegible] $7000. No trade. JONATHAN S. DODGE, 353 S. Hill. 60286.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—10-ACRE [illegible] grove near Santa Ana and 8-room [illegible] Beach. What have you? Address K, [illegible] TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—10-ACRE ORANGE AND [illegible] ranch, 850 trees, in bearing, 1917, [illegible] frost-free belt. Address DR. HARGE[illegible] BORN, Fillmore, Ventura county, Cal.

POULTRY RANCHES— For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE— HOUSE AND ACRE ONLY $1500. You can enjoy life in the suburbs [illegible] money on your "little farm" while [illegible] to the business section to go to and [illegible] work in town. Only 30 minutes out [illegible] line. Good boulevards all the way; [illegible] service, water, and other conveniences [illegible] perous town of 1800. Make [illegible] and move in, rest at rate of [illegible] A. L. SCANTLEBURY, 346 South [illegible] (Ground Floor.) 60167—Main 2543.

FOR SALE— CHICKEN RANCH. 1-acre improved with modern [illegible] bungalow and complete up-to-date [illegible] ment. Located at Rosemead, high-class [illegible] district in the famous San Gabriel [illegible] boulevard and car line, 9 miles out. [illegible] buy at $4500. A. ROSS COOK, with [illegible] THOS. C. BUNDY & CO. 60545.

FOR SALE— Timber Lands.

FOR SALE—80 ACRES TIMBER [illegible] gon, estimated half million feet [illegible] or light car, part, balance cash. [illegible] box 5, TIMES OFFICE.

HOTELS ROOMING HOUSES— For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—WITH SOME EXCHANGE, ELEGANTLY FURNISHED HOTEL, BEST LOCATION IN CITY. That size that can always be run [illegible] PROFITS FOR DECEMBER OVER [illegible] Near center of city, but a block [illegible] the noisy car line; none better in city; plenty of private baths, steam [illegible] lobby, beautiful amusement room. [illegible] and airy. Five-year lease. Rent only [illegible] room. Do not have to put up [illegible] lease. Furnishings are elegant, [illegible] mahogany. Just right size to run [illegible] money. Have been in business for [illegible] years and want to retire. Glad to show [illegible] office books regarding earnings and [illegible] made profits of over $20,000 during [illegible] years, and even last summer, when [illegible] hotel line was so very quiet, this [illegible] from $200 to $300 profit per month. [illegible] respectable line. Price $7500. [illegible] cash and take mortgage back for [illegible] would consider some desirable [illegible] property. This is the best time [illegible] you are just on the eve of a [illegible] business and this house will make $500 [illegible] profit per month. Also it is in the [illegible] condition in every respect. And remember [illegible] word in this advertisement I will prove [illegible] satisfaction. This is a rare chance [illegible] time to get double value for your money. ALLEN C. ADY, HOTEL BROKER, 2825 South Grand avenue. F24818.

FOR SALE—OR LEASE— We furnish more than 200 hotels [illegible] a year. You will find all available vacant [illegible] our list from 20 rooms up. Our wholesale department sells on [illegible] Have good line of clearing from [illegible] per month, for sale on easy terms. See MR. McCRACKEN, THE EASTERN OUTFITTING CO., 620 to 628 South Main, 22 stores on this coast.

FOR SALE— LOCATION IS WHAT COUNTS. Do you want to make from $150 to [illegible] room? If so, investigate this [illegible] hotel, hot and cold water, and steam [illegible] lease, at only $4 per room. [illegible] 6th and Olive, present owner taking [illegible] place and must dispose of this at [illegible] at a snap for someone without [illegible] risk. AMBROSE L. HAMELL COMPANY, F2066. 629 Story Building.

FOR SALE—OR EX. DECKER & [illegible] 90-room hotel; wants ranch. 15 rooms, clean and good, only [illegible] 5-room bungalow; want rooming-house. 28 rooms, good terms [illegible] 50 apartment-houses, all class and [illegible] big list of exchanges, all [illegible] H. C. DECKER & CO., 305 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—ONLY ONE BLOCK [illegible] of Broadway, brick building, 29 [illegible] hot and cold water, in every room, [illegible] well furnished, rent $4 room, [illegible] years' lease. Always filled, good [illegible] Price $775. It's a BIG BARGAIN. [illegible] CO., 657½ S. Hill.

TO LEASE FURNISHED—120-ROOM [illegible] corner hotel, completely equipped, [illegible] floor lobby, elevator service, 50 per [illegible] baths. ALSO, 40-room apartment-house; [illegible] year lease at $3 per room. This [illegible] equipped. AMBROSE L. HAMELL COMPANY, F2066. 629 Story Building.

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN, 100 SINGLE [illegible] CORNER, hot and cold water, steam [illegible] room, private baths, elevator, large [illegible] ground floor lobby. Rent $5 [illegible] lease, clearing $200 month. [illegible] this city. Price $4000, half cash. [illegible] KEYSTONE CO., 657½ South Hill.

FOR SALE—WHO WANTS A POSITIVE [illegible] and a money maker?? 35-room [illegible] $3.50 per room, located one block from [illegible] son's store. We are nearly [illegible] tion the price, only $1400. It [illegible] bargain we have on our big list. AMBROSE L. HAMELL COMPANY, F2066. 629 Story Building.

FOR SALE—WEST SIDE CORNER—[illegible] 34 rooms, part apartments, [illegible] ning water in every room, [illegible] lease; extra well furnished, [illegible] floor. Price $1575. See this. It's [illegible] STONE CO., 657½ S. Hill.

FOR SALE — ELEGANTLY FURNISHED [illegible] rooms, single and apts., steam [illegible] water, rent $60; west side corner; [illegible] Owner in hospital, make us an [illegible] ROW & BEEKER, 602 Hibernian [illegible] and Spring.

FOR SALE—50-ROOM MODERN [illegible] cated in fine northern resort, [illegible] an elegant business; owners must [illegible] if you want a dandy country hotel [illegible] terms, see us at once. RYDER [illegible] Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—IT'S SO DIFFERENT. There's a real home, air and [illegible] the place, 30 rooms, 10 private baths, [illegible] month, lease, near 8th and Figueroa, [illegible] apartment taken, price $1275. [illegible] STONE CO., 657½ S. Hill.

TO LET— 22-room rooming house, at 352 [illegible] street, rent $110 per month. See EDWARDS, with O. E. FARISH [illegible] Main 2888. 353 S. Hill St.

FOR SALE—HERE IS A GOOD ONE [illegible] apartments and single rooms, [illegible] water, steam heat; private baths, [illegible] rent only $100; 2 years' lease; [illegible] make offer. SCHLITT, 341 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—I HAVE A 10-ROOMED [illegible] house, all the boarders I can [illegible] it. Price $400, all clear, dandy [illegible] BLACK, 940 South Hill St. F7132.

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE IN THE [illegible] a hotel or apartment-house [illegible] it at a bargain, see me. If you [illegible] sale at a bargain, list it with [illegible] action quick. MOLSNESS, 516 Grant [illegible]

FOR SALE—26 ROOMS, CORNER [illegible] ning hot and cold water in every [illegible] rooms rented, income about $200; [illegible] good lease; price $1550; some [illegible] SCHLITT, 341 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE, [illegible] 6-room sunny flat, cheap [illegible] nished, including cabinet [illegible] rented, $235 cash if sold at once. [illegible]

WANTED—MANAGEMENT OF [illegible] tel. Give best business and [illegible] erences. Address M, box 422, [illegible] ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — ROOMING-HOUSE OR [illegible] bate 6-room bungalow, rented [illegible] $2750; mtge. $1100; will assume. [illegible] S. Hill. 15108. Main 4629.

WANTED—TO BUY 7-ROOM [illegible] tel. Prefer Southern California [illegible] box 424, TIMES SPRING ST. [illegible]

FOR SALE—SMALL GOOD PAYING [illegible] house, close in. Call 1201 [illegible] Broadway 694.

ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—
NEAR PASADENA, AND THE FINEST ORANGE GROVE IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.
Ten acres in full bearing Valencias and 2 acres in navels.
I represent responsible party who will give $15,000 cash for crop now on trees.
Splendid, modern house, garage, etc., on boulevard.
A gentleman's home and a money maker.
PRICE BELOW ACTUAL VALUE. TERMS REASONABLE.
R. S. CRABTREE, 602 Story Bldg., 6th and Broadway. Telephones: Broadway 379; 10317.

POULTRY RANCHES—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—
HOUSE AND ACRE ONLY $1500.
You can enjoy life in the suburbs and have money on your "little farm" while close enough to the business section to go to and from work in town. Only 30 minutes out on car line. Good boulevards all the way; also gas service, water, and other conveniences. A prosperous town of 1800. Make small payment and move in, rest at rate of $15 per month. A. L. SCANTLEBURY, 240 South Broadway (Ground Floor.) 60667—Main 2543.

FOR SALE—
CHICKEN RANCH.
1-acre improved with modern 5-room bungalow and complete up-to-date chicken equipment. Located at Rosemead, high-class residence district in the famous San Gabriel Valley; on boulevard and car line, 9 miles out. A buy at $4500. A. ROSS COOK, with THOS. C. BUNDY & CO. 60545. 210 Haas Bldg. Bdwy.

FOR SALE—
Timber Lands.

HOTELS ROOMING HOUSES—
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Classified Liners.

HOTELS ROOMING HOUSES—
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APARTMENT HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FURNITURE FOR ...

New home for Hollywood apartment-house and ... available for 18 per cent. profit ... small capital to handle. FRANK HOSKINS, 629 S. Spring st. 60096. Broadway 363.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Furnished Flats.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

A Happy New Year to All. C. C. C. TATUM, Main 3303. ... Merchants Nat'l Bank Bldg., 6th and Spring.

J. C. FLOYD, 215 Mason Operahouse. M. 1945.

R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY, 614-616 Trust and Savings Bldg., 6th at Spring.

GALE-WHITTEN COMPANY, 610 Security Bldg. A5848.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—TAKE 20 MINUTES OF OUR time and tell or write us what you have. HERNANDO D. WOOD CO., 412 Title Insurance Bldg. F2432. F2432.

FOR EXCHANGE—PICO-ST. BUSINESS LOT, NO restrictions, 60x160, west of Western ave.; price $9000; mortgage $3500; want clear Los Angeles property. E. LEBELL, 920 S. Main.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—
CHARMING FOOTHILL HOME.
Only 30 minutes from downtown. Swiss chalet of 8 large rooms, with two baths and all city conveniences. 3 acres in oranges and miscellaneous fruits. Grand panoramic view and ideal surroundings. A show place, yet with real home comforts. Worth $35,000; will sacrifice for $25,500 and take Los Angeles residence to $10,000 or city income to $18,500.
R. H. WHITTEN, owner, 610 Security Bldg. Main 4911. A5848.

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN, WELL-BUILT 6-room bungalow, 5122 S. St. Andrews place; between W. 51st and 52nd sts., fine street work, all paid, must be traded subject to mortgage of $2000; 4 years, 7 per cent. What will you offer for equity? Will accept clear lots, clear house and lot, clear land, or any good property. Would like clear land near Hemet or San Jacinto, on ditch of Citizens' Water Company of San Jacinto. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 426 Washington Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
New 3-story pressed brick building, 24 apartments, completely furnished, all modern; built-in beds, bath with every apartment, steam heat. Four stores fronting 50 feet on fine paved street. Walking distance to business center. Price $80,000; mortgage $35,000; income $000 per month. Want clear building lots or farm land for equity. 806 HIBERNIAN BLDG. F5463, Bdwy. 2177.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$10,000, bungalow court, want Chicago.
$4500, 6-room bungalow, Pico Heights. Offer.
$3500, 2-story house, Pico Heights. Offer.
$3000, 2-room house. Offer.
$4000, 5-room house, walking distance. Offer.
$7500, 10-room house. Want acreage.
$12,000, 9-room house, large lot. Want ranch.
K. LUNDEEN COMPANY, 2nd floor, Central Bldg., 6th and Main streets.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—
IDEAL BUNGALOW HOME.
WANT UNIMPROVED ACREAGE.
Just a splendid 6-room bungalow, every modern convenience, southwest, restricted district, surroundings the best, good car service, conservatively priced at $4500; long time mortgage of $2000. Want clear acreage to $2500. Address owner, K, box 347, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—ALMOST NEW, MODERN, 12-room residence at actual cost of construction, and lot, $21,500; want country property, clear for clear, or will take mortgage back on residence and assume a mortgage to match deal. UMBSTEAD & ROBINSON, O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—9-ROOM MODERN HOUSE IN Hollywood, complete in every particular, garage, etc.; also 14-acre orange grove near Riverside, planted full 8 and 9-year-old trees and 10 shares of water stock; both good income property; value of house $10,500; $3500 mortgage; value of grove $14,000; $4000 mortgage; will trade for a modern flat building in Los Angeles or Hollywood. Address N, box 75, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—IF MAKING AN EXCHANGE or loan be wise, invest $15 for city, $25 for country, and have property thoroughly investigated, written report furnished by experienced operator, it pays. Address PG, box 488, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT RANCH, OFFER VERY fine close in lot, improved with good old 7-room house. Price $4000; incumbrance $1500; also a well located lot, Hollywood, $1500 clear. Prefer ranch, without stock, Artesia, Riverside or Pomona. P. L. DARLING, 213 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — WANT RANCHES FROM owners; apartments, $22,000; paying $190 mo.; flats, $10,000; corner lot; suburban lots, $11,000; store building, $11,000. Each client wants what you have. RAYMOND D. FRISBIE, 631 Spring. 10685. Main 6061.

FOR EXCHANGE—
A very fine 8-room modern house, lot 72x166 to alley; valued at $6500; loan $3400; want a smaller house in Pasadena.
CONWAY AGLEASNER, 405 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$4000—7-room 1½-story house, lot 50x130; mortgage $2000, two years to run; located southwest; want lots or vacant land.
GEO. A. CORTELYOU CO., A1302. 534 Bradbury Bldg. Main 1302.

FOR EXCHANGE — BEAUTIFUL PASADENA home, corner, nicely improved, fruits and flowers, one of the show places of Pasadena; $15,000; mortgage $7500; will take any clear property, city or eastern. DILLON, 602 Hibernian Bldg. 62204. Main 2580.

FOR EXCHANGE—A DUPLEX HOUSE IN THE close-in Hollywood district to exchange for a bungalow in Hollywood or Los Angeles, or an acre or 2 improved with a house in Van Nuys or elsewhere. Call or Phone B. Y. TAFT, 5751 Hollywood blvd. 59045—Hollywood 3068.

FOR EXCHANGE—MY $600 EQUITY IN $1600 modern four-room bungalow, lot 40x135 to alley on improved street, Graham station, 5-cent fare. Want lot, light auto or will take good piano for equity. Address OWNER, 1430 Annan way, Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE—PRICE $6500, EAGLE ROCK City home of 8 rooms, beautiful foothill location; no fogs, half block of yellow car. Want home of same size and price, northwest. WALTER FRANKLIN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. 64636.

FOR EXCHANGE—8-ROOM CALIFORNIA HOUSE, 2125 Bellevue ave., lot 40x140, fruit and flowers, only 20 blocks from Courthouse; 1½ blocks from car line; value $11250; what have you? Owner, Oortwyn, 980 Echo Park ave.

FOR EXCHANGE—
I have a number of choice houses and other city properties to exchange for ranches.
See EDWARDS, with O. E. FARISH & CO. Main 2888. 353 S. Hill st. 60288.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE UP-TO-DATE 11-ROOM residence, in Wilshire district near Wilshire blvd., for good vacant lots for apartment site, owners only. Address BN, box 636, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL MODERN HOME, Arlington Heights district, price $25,000; will take any good land, prefer Imperial. Submit MR. OSTROM, with DILLON & CO., 602 Hibernian Bldg. 62204, Main 2580.

FOR EXCHANGE—A FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW and lot clear. Want a small ranch, anyone who gets this place will certainly get a New Year present. Call at 151 EAST 61ST ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—2728-2730 BROOKLYN AVE., 8-room double bungalow, incumbrance $2250, rents $30, for what have you? HARTJE, 331 Union Oil Bldg. 67144. Boyle 3325.

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN 7-ROOM BUNGALOW near W. 38th and Normandie, valued at $4000, for vacant lot or 4-room bungalow; what have you? VERMONT 3603.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM HOUSE, CORNER lot on Raymond avenue, Pasadena, $3000 clear; want acre near foothills and city car. Owner, 636 WEST 51ST STREET.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT BOYLE HEIGHTS FOR 2 Tropico lots, value $2400 and small place for cash. PHELPS, 410 Byrne Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—227 WEST ADAMS STREET, 154 West 85th street. Want owners eastern. HERMANN SCHRADER, 207 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—TEN-ROOM MODERN HILL-top residence, $7500. Want smaller, or lots to half. West 2631. 2266 W. 25TH.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1000 EQUITY IN HOUSE large enough for 2 families, for $700; ideal place for family; will exchange for car, clear lot or terms. Phones MAIN 5297; 52194.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE—
WE HAVE SOME VERY FINE LOTS BETWEEN Los Angeles and Venice, the nearest beach. Walks, curbs, shade trees, etc., in. Will trade $25,000 to $40,000 worth of these clear for clear Eastern with income. Could put in a house or two, owned by same owner.
PRATT SALES SERVICE, 1022 Title Ins. Bldg. F4271. Bdwy. 3056.

FOR EXCHANGE—
264 feet on 64th st., near Compton, $3000 clear. Want a bungalow in Highland Park, same value, or would assume to $1500.
Also have two lots, 40x140, each, in Redondo, $3000 clear, and two lots in Manhattan, 50x150 each, $1000, mortgage $500. Want a bungalow. Prefer Highland Park or South Pasadena.
J. C. FLOYD, A1844. 215 Mason Operahouse. Main 1945.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$10,000 worth of clear well-located lots. Want west side, flats or other good income. Will assume your mortgage.
DAVID GENTRY, A3669. 228 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 3440.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE APARTMENT LOT, 10 minutes' walk from Third and Broadway; 15 minutes from new shopping district on 7th st. Price $10,000; want home Wilshire or Hollywood way.
O. F. SCHERER, 1001 Marsh-Strong Bldg. F1533, Main 1533.

FOR EXCHANGE—
SAN JACINTO PROPERTY.
20 acres of fine land, ¼ mile from bank and postoffice, $3000; also a fine business lot 50x150, at corner, $1500. Want lots or bungalow in Los Angeles. L. M. WINTERS, 534 Bradbury Bldg. A1302—Main 1302.

FOR EXCHANGE—
5 acres in city, near cars, $7500, mortgage $2500; take good car or other property.
See W. H. NEISWENDER, 735 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 FINE BUSINESS CORNERS on Moneta avenue, 81 feet front each, $8500 each, mortgage $2000 each; will take bungalows, lots or clear eastern on one or both. Submit. DILLON, 602 Hibernian Bldg. 62204—Main 2580.

FOR EXCHANGE—LOT 50x150, ALL STREET work done, El Centro Tract (Hollywood way.) Price $1250 clear; want Bay or Northern California. Owner, Route A, Box 33, OROVILLE, CAL.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE CORNER LOT, PASADENA, $8000 clear; want good flat building or residence; will assume. DILLON, 602 Hibernian Bldg. 62204—Main 2580.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE—EXCLUSIVE RESIDENCE LOT one block from end of Washington street car line, towards West Adams, eight high-class residences in same block, value $2200. What have you to offer? Address OWNER, 404 Mer. Nat. Bank Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE CLOSE-IN CORNER, suitable for flats, West Adams district, $4000; also some good beach lots; want home; will assume. DILLON, 602 Hibernian Bldg. 62204—Main 2580.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Suburban Property.

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Only 30 minutes from downtown. Swiss chalet of 8 large rooms, with two baths, and all city conveniences. Three acres in oranges and miscellaneous fruits. Grand panoramic view and ideal surroundings. A show place, yet with real home comforts. Worth $35,000; will sacrifice for $25,500 and take Los Angeles residence to $10,000 or city income to $18,500.
R. H. WHITTEN, owner, 610 Security Bldg. Main 4911. A5848.

FOR EXCHANGE—14 ACRES AT BURBANK, 7 acres in full bearing fruit; 5 acres alfalfa; 2 acres sweet potato land; modern bungalow, barn and pumping plant, $18,000; mortgage $8000; will trade for house or lots in Los Angeles; might assume some. ROY B. KING, with W. W. MINES & CO., 60478. 631 S. Spring st. Main 2873.

FOR EXCHANGE—1½ ACRES COVERED WITH fruit trees, 10-room modern house, 2 baths, 3 toilets and separate lavatories in bedrooms; fruit, mostly oranges, and in full bearing, and earn an income; cash value $10,000; bank appraisal; Want Los Angeles home same value. THOS. ACTON, 2 W. Main st., Alhambra.

FOR EXCHANGE—FIVE EXTRA FINE ACRES, between L. A. and Venice, clear, want good business or semi-business property; will add cash to value of twenty-five thousand for right kind. Address J. F. CUNNINGHAM, 1133 Merchants National Bank Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—10-ACRE FRUIT RANCH AT Hemet, all in bearing fruit; large pumping plant, first-class property, $4500; want Los Angeles, or will sacrifice for cash. GARTON & TOBIAN, 223 Laughlin Bldg. F5775.

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO ACRES IN SAN GABRIEL, near boulevard; finest soil for chickens; gas and electricity on street, $3000; mortgage $1000; want clear lots or small house for equity. MISS HOSMER, 421 Security Bldg. F4355.

FOR EXCHANGE—$7000, MTGE. $2000, NICE improved chicken ranch, fruits, near boulevard, just south city limits; owner will consider good clear eastern property. CHAS. W. SANGER, 306 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES IMPROVED, FINE soil, water and climate, 17 miles north L. A., $9000; wants dairy and hog ranch, also 10 and 20 acres, highly improved, $1000 per acre, for city income. TELANDER, 222 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — 20 ACRES IMPROVED, 3 miles from Hollywood, for larger improved farm, any State. Address OWNER, Box 204, Lankershim, California.

FOR EXCHANGE—OWNERS ONLY, ONE ACRE, improved with small California house, big sleeping porch; set to fruit; some bearing; close in; want city, high ground. Address K, box 353, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, 1¼ MILES VAN Nuys, $5000 clear; 40 acres Imperial Valley, well improved, all in alfalfa, $7000. Want residence, city. Owner, 636 WEST 51ST ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 3 LARGE CITY LOTS for suburban acreage. Call at 2128 S. MAIN. South 5915.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Beach Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL OCEAN FRONT lot, North end of Hermosa Beach, $2500. Mortgage $500, 6 per cent. Want clear lot Pasadena or Los Angeles, or bungalow and assume $1000. HANEMAN REALTY CO., 905 Haas Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—
DAIRY AND HOG RANCH THAT PAYS
Finest 160 acres alfalfa in Tulare county, completely stocked with high-class cattle, registered hogs and sheep. New buildings, electric pumping plants, complete equipment.
Cash value $67,000, mortgage $12,000. Will exchange for high-class city income, not heavily mortgaged, paying well and priced right.
When tired of investigating junk, call or write for photos and particulars of this money-maker.
R. H. WHITTEN, owner, Main 4911. 610 Security Bldg. A5848.

FOR EXCHANGE—
320-acre dairy ranch, 170 acres in fine stand of alfalfa, balance corn and other crops, good buildings and fully equipped, over $15,000 worth of stock, all first-class, $75,000, clear. Want Los Angeles income property.
J. C. FLOYD, A1844. 215 Mason Operahouse. Main 1945.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE A NUMBER OF GOOD Southern California properties for exchange, city and country. Owners, if you have desirable property for exchange, submit with complete particulars, quoting fair value prices. The cash value basis is the only fair and right basis to trade real estate. Each party to a real exchange before passing title deeds should fully satisfy themselves as to the real value of the property offered in exchange. J. A. FITCH, Pomona. 15 years selling Pomona Valley real estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES GOOD ALFALFA land in San Joaquin Valley, fine water conditions, 20 acres in alfalfa, house, barn and other improvements. Priced low at $7500, mortgage $3000, long time loan. Want residence property or small improved acreage clear or assume for equity. See TURNER, with CHAS. F. STOKES CO., 616 Grant Bldg. A3515.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—250-ACRE RANCH, one-fourth mile from railroad, ½ mile from two good towns, A1 soil, 150 acres in alfalfa, balance land general farming. Will produce anything. 200 inches water, good buildings. If you want a money-maker, this is it. Will make sacrifice price for cash and accept small first payment. Will take part in good exchange. O. L. BOHLEN, 710 Black Bldg. M. 9138, F3076.

FOR EXCHANGE—10,000 ACRES ALFALFA AND grain land, plenty running water, free irrigation by gravity for entire tract, including townsite, clear, price $30 acre; controls range for 10,000 cattle; also another range, adjoining, for 30,000 sheep. Exchange for Los Angeles property. Address OWNER, Postoffice Box 1112, Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE — CLEAR 6-ACRE WALNUT grove, 14-year-old trees, fine location on boulevard, value $6500; want house up to same value; will assume a mortgage and take mortgage back on grove to match deal.
UMBSTEAD & ROBINSON, O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—4 ACRES, JOINS THE McKinley Home, $4500 clear; also modern 6-room bungalow in Gardena, $4000, mortgage $1500 3 years; will trade both properties for Los Angeles residence or clear San Joaquin Valley land. Write Owner, C. F. RELANDER, Burbank, Cal. Phone Burbank, 110-W.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT BUNGALOW.
10 acres Lindsay-Strathmore district. Fine early orange land. Surrounded by best groves in district. Gravity water, domestic well, small shack. In grain now. Price $3500. Want bungalow and will give good trade. Submit.
A. ROSS COOKE, with THOS. C. BUNDY & CO. 210 Haas Bldg. 60545, Bdwy. 8385.

FOR EXCHANGE—STOCK, FRUIT RANCH, RUNning springs, one supply house, barn, live oaks, grass for stock, flowers for bees; plenty land for fruit, crops, grain for poultry, stock, hogs, market, abundance clay, silica, coal for sale, magnificent view; auto road, Los Angeles 55 miles; 572 acres, $50 acre; wants real estate, merchandise. ARNOLD, 337 S. Hill, Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR EASTERN LANDS.
40 acres, Hemet, no building, $4000.
40 acres near Fontana, fruit land, $6000.
80 acres north of Bakersfield, $10,000.
155 acres near Hemet, good for stock, $15,000.
160 acres near Ducor, Tulare county, $20,000.
Large corner flat property, Los Angeles, $35,000.
W. J. BRYANT, 301 Fay Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$25,000, mortgage $6000; good improved income, 160-acre ranch, San Joaquin Valley, on boulevard and R.R. Fine soil and water, some in alfalfa. Owner will trade for good eastern clear property. CHAS. W. SANGER, 306 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — FULLY EQUIPPED DAIRY farm, large improvements, barn, cost $9000; 12-room house, silos, apple orchards, 132 acres, Oneida county, New York, value $15,000. Want Southern California income in part or whole.
M. L. WICKS, 706 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES CHOICE FRUIT, grain and land near Paso Robles, all level, fenced and on main county road, 1 mile to schools and church. Price $7000; will consider $5000 clear residence. E. H. SPENCER, King Edward Hotel, Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE — WANT GOOD IMPERIAL lands in exchange for fine orange grove, 6000 boxes oranges on trees, $50,000 clear; will assume some.
M. L. WICKS, Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—64,000-ACRE CATTLE AND HOG ranch, with all buildings and equipment complete, in Santa Clara county. Price $7.00 per acre. See EDWARD BATES, 324 Wilcox Bldg. Telephone 12887.

FOR EXCHANGE— $191,000.
1440 acres Tulare county, partly improved, plenty water developed; what have you? Owners. Will assume. 404 HIBERNIAN. 12482.

FOR EXCHANGE—320 ACRES GOOD RICH LAND, San Joaquin Valley, suitable for alfalfa; price $40,000, mortgage $7500. Owner will trade for good clear eastern property. CHAS. W. SANGER, 306 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—SNAP IN 117-ACRE RANCH on Mendocino coast, near Fort Bragg, on main highway, land level, fenced, several springs, price $12,000; bargain for cash. GEORGE C. PECKHAM, 600 Hibernian Bldg. F5392.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES ALFALFA AND cotton land; fully watered; Imperial Valley, value $20,000; incumbrance $4300, for clear land or lots or incumbered income; MILLER, 505 Lankershim Bldg. F4136. Bdwy. 1941.

FOR EXCHANGE — IF WANTING IMPROVED ranches or groves (for sale or exchange) remember to see RAYMOND D. FRISBIE, 631 Spring 10685, Main 6061.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—$3000, 5-acre corner, Orange county, want L. A. bungalow, same value. OWNER, 428 West 51st st.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR LEASE—320 ACRES, FULLY water-stocked near Holtville. Address H. L. THOMPSON, Hemet, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR LOTS, SAN DIEGO, auto and Ore. ranch for mountain ranch here. Address O, box 296, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$30,000, 20-acre grove near Orange, improved. Assume.
$20,000, 400 acres near Owensmouth, improved. Assume.
$12,000, 80 acres Riverside, improved, assume.
$25,000, highly improved fruit ranch, San Diego county. Assume.
$22,500, improved orange grove, San Fernando. Assume.
$35,000, walnuts and oranges, bearing, near Whittier, improved, will assume. Mr. Whitaker.
$80,000, clear orange grove near Anaheim. Offer.
$75,000, clear, 1049 acres, Riverside county. Assume.
$48,000, 320 acres, Imperial Valley, assume.
$46,000, 153 acres, Imperial Valley, assume.
$10,000, 160 acres, San Bernardino county, improved, assume.
$66,000, 640 acres, Riverside county, improved. Assume.
$80,000, 40-acre olive and orange, San Fernando. Land Kern or Tulare.
$40,000, Valencia grove, Redlands. Assume.
$70,000, 640 acres, Kern county, improved. Want grove.
K. LUNDEEN COMPANY, 2nd floor, Central Bldg., 6th and Main streets.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED, BUSINESS INCOME on Main, Spring or Broadway, between First and Third, in exchange for clear 8500-acre Monterey stock ranch, 400 acres alfalfa land with pumping plant. Three miles of river. 700 acres grain land. Balance all fine rolling pasture covered with white oak. New modern $8000 residence, all new buildings and fences. Value $140,000 clear.
634 acres at San Miguel, 10 miles north of Paso Robles. Fine general ranch. Complete buildings and equipment. Abundance of water. All good almond and fruit land. $40,000. Mortgage $9500. Want orange grove or good income property.
200 acres Sacramento county. Fenced and water developed. Near electric car. Fine alfalfa and fruit land. $20,000. Mortgage $5000 at 5 per cent. Want Los Angeles apartment or income.
160 acres 10 miles east of Paso Robles. Fine grain, fruit and almond ranch. $9600. Mortgage $2500. Want Hollywood residence.
40 acres, Perris, all in alfalfa. Fine buildings and underground water system. $20,000. Mortgage $7900. Want city property.
126 acres, 3 miles west of Kerman, Fresno county, good alfalfa land. $15,000. Mortgage $2500. Want income. Will assume. R. B. CAMPBELL CO., 218 Security Bldg. 63422.

FOR EXCHANGE—BY OWNER—
POMONA HOME RANCH.
Location, between Pomona and Chino, on good street or road; all farms highly improved in this section; close to grammar and high schools; about 18½ acres choice soft loam soil, fine walnut, berry, alfalfa or potato soil; part now in alfalfa; some fruit, modern 9-room house, large barn and outbuildings; price $12,000; mortgage, a cash loan, $3500, 7 per cent., long time; will consider Hollywood, Pasadena or Los Angeles to $8000 or $9000; consider a highly improved 40 or 60 acres in the Imperial Valley. Take Idaho city or country. (By owner,) E. A. MORGAN, 198 Jefferson st., Pomona.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$11,000, improved fruit orchard. Offer.
$6500, small beautiful place near Artesia. Want Texas or Arizona.
$11,500, 80 acres, Yuma county, Arizona. Will assume.
$25,000, 200 acres, improved, San Bernardino county. Assume.
$10,000, 12 acres, Riverside, improved. Offer.
$10,000, 11 acres, near Downey. Offer.
$4000, chicken ranch near Sawtelle, improved. Offer.
$7000, dandy place near Sunland. Offer.
K. LUNDEEN COMPANY, 2nd floor, Central Bldg., 6th and Main sts.

FOR EXCHANGE—BY OWNER—
OWNERS, ATTENTION!
CONSIDER IDAHO OR NEBRASKA
For my 18½-acre home ranch; location, between Pomona and Chino; close to grammar and high schools; all soft, sandy loam, fine walnut, berry or potato soil; part now in alfalfa; improved; good 9-room modern house, large barn and outbuildings; price $12,000; mortgage $3500, cash loan, 7 per cent., long time; might consider Arizona, improved. See (owner) E. A. MORGAN, 198 Jefferson st., Pomona, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—
300 ACRES WITH WATER.
Class A land, close to railway in San Joaquin Valley. Price $40,000. Mortgage $10,000. Will accept good city property to value. Call C. B. Davis.
R. C. MITCHELL CO., 614-616 Trust and Savings Bldg. 60817. Bdwy. 798.

FOR EXCHANGE—
600 ACRE RANCH, CLEAR.
This property is near Tulare, in the San Joaquin valley. Good level land, not improved at present. Has been in grain. First-class for alfalfa or general farming. Price only $80 per acre, clear. Want city or nearby, clear for clear. Might assume small. Might divide.
See Mr. Blades.
STRONG, DICKINSON & M'GRATH, 60195. 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg., L. A. Main 1273.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE STOCK RANCH IN MONTANA, 1200 acres, well improved, for good apartment site or apartment house; one 1600 acres, San Joaquin Valley, stock ranch; also 280 acres, highly improved, all in alfalfa; want first-class city income; cash basis; owners only. Address BF, box 680, TIMES HILL ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—$8000. SPLENDIDLY LOcated ranch, Artesia. Good improvements. Want city of little less value.
$6000—Ten acres same location. Incumbrance $3000. A dandy place. Submit city.
P. L. DARLING, 213 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
I have bargains in Tulare and Fresno county alfalfa ranches.
E. D. COWAN, 228 Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal. Main 3440.

FOR EXCHANGE—SUBURBAN ACREAGE TO $50,000, good improvements, income from leases, and sale of water, want Kern county unimproved to full value, might assume. C. B. HOSSACK, Redondo, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—ARE YOU MAKING A DEAL and want property thoroughly investigated for small fee by experienced operator, bank references. Address PH, box 302, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE FINE 10-ACRE IMproved ranch at Gardena, water stock, nice house, fine soil, etc. Have $12,000 equity to trade for city. Address K, box 334, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT IMPROVED SMALL farm, vicinity Visalia, Tulare, for my two clear five-room modern homes here. Can borrow $2500 on these. No commission. OWNER. TUGGLE, 2660 Locksmore St.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 OR 160 ACRES, KINGS county, level, rich, alfalfa and fruit land, clear of encumbrances, want clear bungalow. Address K, box 455, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES IN BARLEY, FIVE miles southwest of Mendota, Fresno county, adjoining the Helm irrigated ranch. This is the best land in California. Address K, box 454, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—160-ACRE RANCH IN ARIZONA clear. Price $8000. Want income in Los Angeles or close by. Submit what you have to R. F. HOWARD, 1229 Citizens National Bank Bldg. F3038; Broadway 5150.

FOR EXCHANGE—
15 acres on Lankershim blvd., Owens River water, $750 per acre; want residence, west or Hollywood. R. S. SAUNDERS, 524 Black Bldg. Main 2124, F4158.

FOR EXCHANGE—
I have bargains in Tulare and Fresno county alfalfa ranches.
E. D. COWAN, Main 3440. 228 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE CLEAR ACREAGE, Sherman way. Want good income to $10,000. THE CENTURY SYNDICATE, 1114 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—58x150 LOT IN Monrovia, on car line. Want furniture, hardware, groceries or what? Phone Bdwy. 7406. 1105 W. FIRST.

FOR EXCHANGE—400 ACRES WHEAT LAND IN Utah, $10,000. Incumbrance $2200. Want California. Address M, box 581, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE BARGAINS IN SAN Joaquin Valley ranches, for sale or exchange. F3630. A. GIESBRECHT, 347 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—15 ACRES LEVEL rich soil, beautifully situated and under irrigation, in State of Washington, 12 acres in 5-year-old apples, standard varieties, clear, value $3500; also Los Angeles, finely located lots, 50x196 to alley, suitable for apartment or residence, clear; value $2500; also cosy 5-room bungalow, strictly modern and first-class, lot 50x150, lawn, flowers, value $3200, mortgage $1350; want cash on easy terms or walnut ranch. No commission. Address OWNER, 5311 Monte Vista st. Phone 38029.

FOR EXCHANGE—$500 VACANT LOT VENICE WAY.
$1000 vacant lot suburbs of Los Angeles.
$2500 equity in beautiful 8-room bungalow Southwest.
$3500 clear farm in Michigan.
$6400—640 acres Antelope Valley.
$9500 Trust Deed. Want flats, bungalow, small ranch, stock of merchandise, cattle, hogs, mortgage, hotel or rooming-house, or submit what you have for any of the above properties. W. E. STOCKWELL, 229 Union Oil Bldg. F7510, Broadway 6596.

FOR EXCHANGE—80-ACRE EASTERN FARM; price $8000 clear; want Los Angeles; will assume as high as $5000.
Also alfalfa ranch at Corona; house, barn and pumping plant; to exchange for Los Angeles property.
Fine piece of property at Venice, price $15,000, mortgage $5000; want Los Angeles.
GEORGE H. CRAM, 400 Washington Bldg. F7110.

FOR EXCHANGE—$27,000, EAST ADAMS, INcome, for ranch; $55,000, brick flats, 48 rooms, for walnuts; $20,000, clear dairy ranch, for Southern Cal. $8000 clear, partly improved ranch for lots or income; $170,000, clear, $18,552-acre stock ranch, 25,000 inches water ditched, 8000 acres seeded, fenced. A. E. MORGAN, 515 Delta Bldg. A4668.

FOR EXCHANGE—LOTS FOR HOUSE, COUNtry for city and city for country, eastern for western and western for eastern; also have northern for here. R. F. HOWARD, 1229 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. F3038—Bdwy. 5150.

FOR EXCHANGE—BETWEEN 6 AND 9 O'CLOCK Saturday evenings The Times' telephone switchboard is swamped with "Want ads." Avoid delay by telephoning your Sunday ads Friday or early Saturday.

FOR EXCHANGE—TAKE 20 MINUTES OF OUR time and tell or write us what you have. HERNANDO D. WOOD CO., 412 Title Insurance Bldg. F2432. F2432.

FOR EXCHANGE—IF WISH TO BUY, SELL OR exchange property see, write or phone J. C. CHRISNEY, 606 Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles. F2820.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$9000 clear, fine lot industrial section, 115x150; want city income, will assume up to about $5000.
$2000, mortgage $400, house and two lots; also 1 acre lot $1500, mortgage $200; want land near Porterville.
$55,000, 38 acres full bearing orange grove; want income and assume up to $25,000. There is $18,000 on the grove.
$22,000, mortgage $4000, 12 acres, 10 lemons, 2 oranges, fine shape; want city.
$28,000, 2-story building, fine location, at beach, covers lot 66x100; want ranch in valley.
WE WISH YOU ALL A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.
PITBLADO & STUMPF, 400-401-402 I. W. Hellman Bdg. A1135. Main 3652.

FOR EXCHANGE—320-ACRE RELINQUISHMENT near Casa Grande, Ariz. Two years' work done, all fenced and about 100 acres cleared. First-class smooth level sandy loam land and good water conditions. Extra good alfalfa and fruit land. Government experts claim there is no better olive section in the United States. Will be worth $100 per acre soon as new government dam is completed. Price $15 per acre. On account of my health will exchange for home or small improved ranch near foothills. Will assume or pay difference but must show real value. Call or address owner, J. H. THOMPSON, 807 E. 4th st., Long Beach, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—CITY, COUNTRY AND BEACH, we can match your property satisfactorily. 223 GROSSE BLDG, 124 W. Sixth st. Phone Main 4552.

FOR EXCHANGE—M. L. WICKS, STORY BLDG., sells or exchanges property here or elsewhere. Business solicited.

FOR EXCHANGE — I MATCH ANY TRADE IN farm or city property in any state. J. A. KING, Room 1, Lyon Block, Riverside, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—I. H. SHOEMAKER, WILL EXchange your property. 1111 STORY BLDG. New location. F6331; Main 6331.

FOR EXCHANGE—$5500, CLOSE IN, 7-ROOM house, also fine Hollywood lot. Want ranch. P. L. DARLING, 213 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — SEN WHITE WILL EXchange your present property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS—

BANKING OPPORTUNITY; A GENTLEMAN OF THOROUGH BANKING EXPERIENCE, EXECUTIVE ABILITY AND FIRST-CLASS REFERENCES IS INVITED TO CONFER WITH AS GOOD A BANKING CROWD AS THERE IS IN CALIFORNIA; CONTROL AND POSITION AS PRESIDENT OR VICE-PRESIDENT OFFERED; INVESTMENT $30,000 TO $40,000. PRINCIPALS ONLY. ADDRESS 807-8 HAAS BLDG.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO BUILDERS—
Choice Holly Boulevard lots, 50x135. Ideal for apartment-house; underpriced and additional discount of 25 per cent. if you will build at once. For complete information, FRANK HOSKINS, 629 South Spring. Broadway 363; Home 60096.

WANTED—CAPITAL TO ASSIST IN UTILIZING finest reservoir and dam site in Southern California. Can store water sufficient for over 160,000 acres of land, which will pay $30 per acre for water right, being $150 a miner's inch. Fine opportunity for investment in lands irrigated.
M. L. WICKS, Story Bldg.

WANTED—$7500 TO $15,000 TO PLANT AND improve 250 or 500 acres superior apple land. All money advanced will be refunded and half interest in entire property, so improved will be deeded to the one advancing the necessary money. CHAS. E. PRICE, 1010 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE $5000, CAN SURELY interest you in a big deal, 1500 feet of semi-business and industrial property. I am the principal and want to deal with principals only. Address ROSS M. RUSSELL, Sierra Madre Club, for appointment.

NEED ACTIVE HELPER, SOME MONEY, BUYS interest gaged business, pay you $500 monthly. Particulars, 335 SOUTH BROADWAY. Room 201.

THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE endeavor to telephone ads to The Times the same time Saturday evening. Do it Friday or early Saturday and avoid confusion.

WANTED—OIL ENGINE MANUFACTURING CONcern wishes additional capital. Address P, box 67, TIMES OFFICE.

EXPERIENCED PROMOTER TO INTEREST capital to manufacture valuable automobile patent. Address P, box 278, TIMES OFFICE.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

PICTURE THEATERS—
IN DOWNTOWN DISTRICT
$2000—Theater in heart of the downtown district. Long lease; hustler can make $250 per week; some terms.
$5000—Picture theater, elegant equipment, 5-year lease; this house is netting from $100 to $200 per week. Some snap for hustler.
$4500—Theater; this house is worth $9000; has long lease; it's making $75 a week now, but hustler can make $200; it has the location but poor management.
For bargains in theaters in So. Cal., large or small, see me. I only sell guaranteed houses, so you take no chances in dealing with me. See RYAN, 730 S. Olive st. Film Ex. Row.

COPPER—COPPER—COPPER—
WHY BUY STOCK.
When you can have mining rights for $200. We can locate you on one of the best mining claims in Arizona, Jerome district. COLORADO VERDI MINING CO., 520 Stimson Bldg.

TO LET—BAKERY. HERE IS A CHANCE. Baker retiring, place can be had for just rent, 1108 Central ave., oven guaranteed. See owner, PETER MARKEY, 1021 Broadway, Eagle Rock. Phone Garvanza 861.

TO LET—A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY FOR A good bakery or delicatessen. Large brick oven; pleasant storeroom, cheap rent. See F. E. BUNDY, Real Estate, 1805 W. Jefferson. West 4026.

FOR SALE—MORNING PAPER AGENCY IN ONE of best inland towns, about 30 miles from Los Angeles. A good proposition. Address K, box 556, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

TAXI BUSINESS, 7-PASS. STUDEBAKER, EQUITY $430, run only 6000 miles; over $200 monthly business. Have better position. Will sell $125 cash. Call MR. BURDICK, 619 South Main, A69480.

FOR SALE—UP-TO-DATE SALOON, BEST LOcation in city, caters to the working class, low rent, steady income. For more information phone F75189, or MAIN 3400, or call at 728 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. Broadway.

WANTED—HANDY, HONEST, SOBER MAN WITH $250 for light manufacturing business; no competition; wonderful future. If you want in a business that will pay you from the start, call at 156 NORTH SPRING. Room 218.

THEATER—$850 BUYS THE LEASE ON 400-SEAT house, fully equipped, 2 machines, $150 of the amount pays rent to March 15.
CLOYD & CUMMINGS, 435 S. Hill.

TELEPHONE "WANT ADS" for insertion in the Sunday Times should be ordered before the rush of business Saturday night.

GROCERY, FRUITS AND TOBACCO, LARGE EXclusive trade. Owner retiring, offers a money-maker, good business for ladies. See MISS McCREA, 207 Delta Bldg.

A LADY WISHES SOBER, RELIABLE PARTNER with $250, an established business will net you about $125 per month, experience unnecessary if willing worker. 353 S. HILL.

PICTURE THEATER BUYERS—I HAVE 2 GOOD small propositions for man and wife. Only takes a small amount of capital. See RYAN, 730 S. Olive st. Film Ex. Row.

THEATER—$700 HANDLES 300-SEAT HOUSE IN town of 4000; rent $40; no opposition; good for $60 week if you are alive; look it over.
CLOYD & CUMMINGS, 435 S. Hill.

$3200.00—PICTURE THEATER. THIS HOUSE IS guaranteed to net $70.00 per week. Some terms. See RYAN, 730 So. Olive st. Film Ex. Row.

BE AN EXCEPTION—
Don't wait until the last moment to telephone your Sunday ads to The Times. Do it Friday or early Saturday.

FOR SALE—AUTO SUPPLY AND FILLING STATION, best corner location in Pomona; a good proposition, price reasonable. TIMES AGENT, Pomona.

WANTED—PARTY TO INVEST WITH ME IN established business showing 50 per cent. Will bear strictest investigation. Address O, box 218, TIMES OFFICE.

BAKERY, SUBURBAN TOWN, 3000 POPULATION, only bakery paying business, price right, good reason for selling. Address K, box 460, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WELL PAYING CASH GROCERY, ON BUSY CORner; fine chance for hustler; sickness cause for selling. See OWNER, 1031 W. 16TH.

FOR SALE—VULCANIZING SHOP. BEEN IN business three years. No dealers. Address N, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

TO LET—OR LEASE—ST. FRANCIS HOTEL, dining-room furnished. The only hotel dining-room in San Pedro. Rent very reasonable.

FOR SALE—MOST COMPLETE BEAUTY SHOP in the city, centrally located, write for particulars, 1653 D. ST., Bakersfield, Cal.

FOR SALE—FINE CANDY SHOP; MUST SACRIfice; good paying business. Call at 211 MERCANTILE PLACE.

FOR SALE—BUTTER AND EGG ROUTE, FORD delivery car; clearing over $50 per week; $1800. Address R, box 105, TIMES OFFICE.

IF YOU CAN KEEP TWO OR THREE HUNDRED boys busy selling a 10c article write us quick. MASTER-KEY PUB. CO., St. Louis, Mo.

IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING, ANYWHERE, YOU want to sell or trade. see R. D. BLACK, 949 S. Hill st. He matches you. Bdwy. 6166, F7182.

FOR SALE — TWO TAMALE CARTS, CHEAP; and will teach business. Address O, box 206, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A GROCERY ON SOUTH GRAND ave. Will invoice. Write OWNER. Address K, box 456, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

PIANOS MOVED IN CITY, $2; FURNITURE, $1 and up. CUT RATE MOVING CO., Phone Boyle 2065.

DON'T PROCRASTINATE—
Telephone your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

SERVICES AND $350 BUYS INTEREST WHOLEsale and manufacturing business. You draw $150 monthly. Particulars, 201 GRANT BLDG.

BAKERY. FINE PLACE. GOOD BUSINESS, brick oven, cheap for cash. 2110 BROOKLYN AVE.

FOR SALE — CANDY MAKING OUTFIT, SHOWcases, etc., at 937 W. SEVENTH.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

PICTURE THEATER BUYERS, TAKE NOTICE. HERE'S A BUNCH OF BARGAINS. I CAN GUARANTEE.
$3200—Country theater, clearing $70 week; terms.
$2000—City theater, clearing $50 week; terms.
$3000—City theater, clearing $70 week; terms.
$5000—Country theater, clearing $80 week; terms.
$5000—Down town theater; one of the finest; doing good business; 5-year lease.
$3500—Suburban theater; this is one of the finest, up-to-date houses in Southern California; no opposition; terms. I have a few small houses in the suburbs for small investments. Just the place for man and wife. Mind you, I know every house in So. Cal. personally and I only handle the best. My reference is any film exchange in this city.
See RYAN, 730 S. Olive st. Film Ex. Row.

GARAGE FOR RENT TO RIGHT MAN WHO understands garage business. This garage is open and doing business. Has from 40 to 60 steady storage customers. Size of building 70 by 140 feet to alley. Located on corner of 14th and F streets, San Diego, Cal. One-half this building has two stories, with elevator. The garage is thoroughly equipped and is first-class in every way. Will rent reasonably or will rent, and take half interest with an up-to-date automobile, and garage man who is capable of managing such a business. If interested, would be pleased to have you investigate this proposition. For further particulars call on or address E. E. SELMSER, 719 F st., San Diego, Cal.

RARE OPPORTUNITY—
Clean, legitimate, established business, suitable for man or woman or both, clearing $100 month, location Hollywood, experience not essential, will teach and give buyer good start, my reputation clean, not sick, not going away, have made good in L. A. Going to make better. Over $600 actual cash invested, pay me $600 cash and step into good wages and a proposition of no regrets. References exchanged. No agents, no commission. Address R, box 69, TIMES OFFICE.

PICTURE THEATER, SUBURBAN—
$3500—Theater, one of the finest in this city, always a big money-maker, terms.
$300—Theater, fully furnished, cheap rent and long lease, no opposition, just the place for man and wife to make nice living.
$3500—Theater, 300 opera chairs, 5-year lease, a beauty; hustler can make $100 week.
$2500—Theater, guaranteed to net $60 per week. This is the best buy in this city; terms; you can check it to suit yourself.
For bargains in theaters in So. Cal., city, country or beaches, see me. I only handle the best and I guarantee to protect the buyer. My reference is any film exchange in this city.
See RYAN, 730 S. Olive st. Film Ex. Row.

I HAVE A BILLIARD BUSINESS THAT HAS NETTED OVER $400 PER MONTH THE PAST YEAR; I MUST SELL HALF TO RESPONSIBLE PARTY, OR ALL, AS I MUST LEAVE HERE FOR MEXICO; THIS IS NOT A BASEMENT "DEAD ONE," BUT THE BEST IN LOS ANGELES. HALF REQUIRES $2000 CASH, OR ALL $3500. I DON'T WANT CURIOSITY SEEKERS OR AGENTS. ADDRESS H.H., BOX 251, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—GROCERY AND FEED BUSINESS. The best suburban town proposition of its size in California, nets over $4000 clear profit annually. Sales about $45,000. Invoice about $7000. Old established trade. No cut prices. Carries postoffice which pays rental of both store and owner's home. Think of it. Wholesale and bank references. Owner NOT SICK, simply retiring for a rest. Someone will get a PLUM. See me at once.
G. A. NICKERSON, 618 Story Bldg.

CAPITAL TO FINANCE SALES AND MANUFACture of an article of tested merit, to extent of five thousand dollars, if required. Sold locally, Los Angeles. Fortune in national marketing, and can be accomplished at moderate cost. Address K, box 302, TIMES SPRING ST. OFFICE.

REDIPHONES—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF these handy telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books valued at 75 cents each, the coupons being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 8200 or Home 10391, and our representative will call and attach the "Rediphone," collecting at the same time for the coupons delivered. One "Rediphone" only will be delivered to each customer.

A CORPORATION COMPOSED OF MEN OF ACcredited standing and well known in United States banking circles will extend an opportunity to a competent man of financial and personal good standing to take a prominent position in the management, with suitable consideration. Reasonable investment will be expected should exchanges of references and business views prove mutually satisfactory. Address K, box 340, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

PICTURE THEATER BUYERS TAKE NOTICE. I have some very attractive bargains to offer you this week; some good houses to lease. If you want a theater, large or small, city, country or beaches, see me, the man that sells and guarantees the theater. You run no chances in buying from me, as I handle only the best.
See RYAN, 730 South Olive st. Film Ex. Row.

STEAM LAUNDRY, FIRST-CLASS, OF LARGE capacity, fully equipped to the smallest detail; all machinery practically new and of the latest pattern; centrally located in San Francisco; new light and sanitary building; 2 elevators, 8 auto delivery wagons; everything in fine condition; this plant will be sold cheap; the chance of a lifetime for the right party. 3080 17TH ST., San Francisco, Cal.

FOR SALE—
GENERAL MERCHANDISING BUSINESS.
Arizona stock, worth $14,000. Store property $5000. Profitable proposition.
PIERCE
FROM I-O-W-A
CENTRAL BLDG.

FOR SALE—FOR 60 PER CENT. OF VALUAtion. Send 15 cents and I will mail you in plain wrapper for private use, in your home, a 25-cent box of Hull's Paste. Order Money, for bleeding, blind or protruding piles. Also for itching piles, eczema, or itching of rectum. DENTON E. HULL, Ph. G., Huntington Park, Cal.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST PAYING GROCERY STORES EVER ADVERTISED FOR SALE, DOING A CASH BUSINESS $80 TO $160 A DAY, NO CUT PRICES, STOCK INVOICES ABOUT $2500, FIXTURES, INCLUDING DELIVERY TRUCK, $1000. REASONS FOR SELLING CANNOT SPARE TIME FROM OTHER BUSINESS. NO AGENTS. APPLY 324 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE—PAYING GROCERY, LOCATED IN apartment-house building, mostly cash business. Am compelled to leave city to attend other business; will invoice $1200. Fixtures 1-3 actual value. No trades. Address D, box 251, TIMES OFFICE.

$225 TAKES EVERYTHING.
For sale, light grocery, steam table and delicatessen, light lunch, fine cash business, apartment houses all around, rent $15 month. West side and best transfer point. Call room 1, 657½ S. HILL or phone Main 3607.

$3500—PICTURE THEATER, ONE OF THE BEST in this city. Large seating capacity, playing capacity, making money every day. Some terms. Owner going East. A snap for some one.
See RYAN, 730 S. Olive st. Film Ex. Row.

HAIR DRESSING AND BEAUTY PARLOR FOR sale, one of the best equipped in Los Angeles, only reason for selling is sickness. Will sell stock and fixtures entire or any part you may want. Phone Tuesday or after. HOME 577215.

THEATER—$1200. HAVE EXCLUSIVE LISTING on an up-to-date house with 2 machines, 400 opera chairs, low rent. Owner gives this no attention, as he is running 3 large stores. Wants to sell.
CLOYD & CUMMINGS, 435 S. Hill.

I WILL BUY AND PAY CASH FOR ENTIRE stocks of merchandise of every description; dry goods, men's furnishings, clothing, shoes, groceries, jewelry, general stores, etc. SALM BEHREND, 1229 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. 63088—Bdwy. 5150.

FOR SALE — $500, LAUNDRY ROUTE, PAYS about $200 per month summer season and $100 per month winter season; purchaser must be able to furnish auto delivery; this is a big snap; speak quick if you want it. See manager. GREATER HYGIENIC LAUNDRY, 16th and Central ave.

PICTURE SHOW FOR SALE CHEAP; AM MAKing $35 week clear; will sell for $650; nice furniture; 400 opera chairs, piano, new Powers machine, rectifier and nice curtains; act quick; cheap rent. Address BP, box 694, TIMES HILL ST. BRANCH.

THEATER—$1750 CASH HANDLES THE ONLY house in town of 4000; vaudeville stage, 2 machines, and 450 opera chairs; will actually show $250 (real money) net monthly, balance on terms. Well sell the theaters.
CLOYD & CUMMINGS, 435 S. Hill.

SOME ONE WITH TWELVE TO FIFTEEN HUNdred dollars and honest, who will join me in building my hydraulic amalgamator for saving flour and fine gold; will install or work; both make money. J. M. BROWN, 701 W. 34th st.

$1500—SHOW IN A NICE TOWN, OUT OF LOS Angeles, 3500 population; the furniture consists of 300 chairs, new Powers machine, piano, rectifier and a good business; must sell at once; liberal discount for cash or easy terms. Address BP, box 699, TIMES HILL ST. BRANCH.

THEATER—$5000. ONE OF THE BEST LOCATED and equipped houses downtown; beautiful lobby. Owner lives away from city. Management will show over $400 month net. What other business will show such a percentage of profit?
CLOYD & CUMMINGS, 435 S. Hill.

THEATER—$3000 CASH HANDLES LARGE, BEAUtiful downtown house, earning over 100 per cent. on investment. Low rent. Figure it out. Books open to investigation.
CLOYD & CUMMINGS, 435 S. Hill.

THEATER—$1000. IN BUNGALOW SECTION; equipment includes 350 seats, 2 machines, rectifier and piano, stage, and no competition. See us for real bargains.
CLOYD & CUMMINGS, 435 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—STOCK OF FURNITURE, BUILDING for rent, also rooming-house adjoining in thriving town, Salt Lake shops here. Big pay roll. Reason for selling business outside needs my attention. Address box 42, LAS VEGAS, NEV.

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FOR SALE—CORNER GROCERY, ESTABLISHED 26 years, all cash trade; will exchange for house, with no mortgage. See OWNER, 400 E. 8th street.

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE, DOING FINE business, excellent location. Must sell on account of husband's death. No speculators need apply. 800 SAN PEDRO ST.

FOR SALE—ONLY $350, BEST RESTAURANT and delicatessen in city, 657 Washington, near Figueroa, now running. FIELD, SILVERADO APTS., 940 West 11th. Broadway 391.

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BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

FINANCE GOOD INVENTION, MAKE BIG money; ground floor proposition. See BLANEY, at Dixon Machine Works, 733 N. MAIN.

FOR SALE—BUTTER AND BUTTERMILK STAND, net over $350 a month; ideal location. Owner going to Colorado, $2250. 502 MASON BLDG.

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FOR SALE—TIMES AND EXAMINER ROUTE IN country, 300 subscribers. For particulars, address P, box 283, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—THE BEST LIQUOR-LICENSED cafe in Venice. Must sell on account of health. Will sacrifice. BOX 83, VENICE, CAL.

FOR SALE — SHOWCASES, SODA FOUNTAINS; largest stock in the West. WEBER SHOWCASE AND FIXTURE CO., 316-330 S. Los Angeles st.

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FOR SALE—$450, DELICATESSEN AND BAKERY, IN APARTMENT-HOUSE DISTRICT. 558152.

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WANTED—WILL BUY FOR CASH ENTIRE stocks of merchandise of every description, dry goods, men's furnishings, clothing, shoes, groceries, jewelry, general stores, etc. SALM BEHREND, 1229 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. 63088. Bdwy. 5150.

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WANTED—TWENTY ACRES, TULARE COUNTY, nine acres, four-year old fruit, house, pumping plant, abundance of water, $6500, mortgage $2000, for stock of goods in or near Los Angeles. Owner, 520 S. HILL ST.

WANTED — A GOOD LOCATION FOR A DRUG store, city or country. Address P, box 213, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HAVE AUTO, $100 CASH, PLUS PERsonal services. What's your proposition? Address P, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MACHINE SHOP. FULL PARTICULARS. Address P, box 91, TIMES OFFICE.

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SWAPS—
All Sorts.

FOR EXCHANGE—AUTOMOBILE FOR HIGH class furniture or Persian rugs or both. Late model 1916 Overland (heavy) roadster. Perfect condition. All new tires. Searchlight. Shock absorbers. Weed chains. Local business man will exchange for furniture or Persian rugs of equal value. About $1000. Address R, box 114, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — SANTA PAULA HOME, SIX rooms, electric lights, large barn, corner, 60x125, nice bearing fruit trees, clear, and insured; cash or trade. Address O, box 65, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR EXCHANGE—NEARLY NEW 5-ROOM BUNgalow, E. 66th st., $2200, mortgage $900. Want lot, personal property, or car or offer. Address K, box 459, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—CHICKENS, RABBITS AND A 4-burner gas range; want motorcycle. Phone SOUTH 5552-J.

FOR EXCHANGE — 2 CHICAGO LOTS, VALUE $500; want auto or piano. Address K, box 320, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—HIGHEST-CLASS INSTRUCTION piano, flute, harmony, Leipsic Conservatory teacher. Address O, box 210, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — TAILORS, ATTENTION! Standard tailoring machine, like new, trade for men's tailoring or sell cheap. 447 S. FLOWER.

FOR EXCHANGE—11 NEW DRY CHEMICAL FIRE extinguishers; will trade for rabbits. 5631 BALTIMORE.

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Real Estate and Improvements.

CHEAP MONEY FOR LONG TIME LOANS ON first-class income ranches, $100,000 and upward. Also on first-class downtown income business property. Applications from owners and sole agents preferred. R. B. CAMPBELL CO., 218 Security Bldg. 63422.

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Or for building, on easy terms of repayment.
STATE MUTUAL BLDG. & LOAN ASSOCIATION.
328 S. Spring st.

TO LOAN—MONEY, ANY AMOUNT ON CITY or country, current rates, quick action, least expense, make application today. Main 3604. FRED C. SMITH. F2720. 315 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—
5½ per cent., 6 per cent. and 7 per cent. Small or large amounts. Answer given promptly. Mr. Pope.
THE McCARTHY COMPANY, 60409. 637 South Hill street. Main 8172.

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4 PER CENT. DEFERRED FIRST MORTGAGE loans on improved and unimproved property up to $5000. Through State-inspected financial institution. Address MANOA FINANCIAL AND LOAN CO., 602 Hibernian Bldg.

P. C. COMPANY, HEAD BUILDING, SAN FRANcisco, loans its own money direct to borrower, amounts $1000 to $25,000, on orchards, vineyards, alfalfa, grain and cattle ranches, in San Joaquin Valley.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 5 TO 7 PER CENT. Plenty of money for good securities. Vacant or improved.
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Six and Seven Per Cent.
City, Country or Suburban. Vacant or improved. $500 to $25,000.
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Will divide to suit.
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HAVE $50,000 AVAILABLE FOR SHORT TIME building loans, mortgages and trust deeds.
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6½ PER CENT. 6½ PER CENT.
RESIDENCE LOANS.
SIX AND ONE-HALF PER CENT.
WE HAVE
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FOR RESIDENCE LOANS ONLY.
APPLICATIONS FOR AMOUNTS FROM $1000 TO $7500 CONSIDERED.
LOANS MADE FOR 3 OR FIVE YEARS.
W. M. GARLAND & CO.,
MAIN 569. 324 VAN NUYS BLDG. 10568.

WE WILL MAKE CONSERVATIVE LOANS ON real estate in Los Angeles and vicinity up to $50,000 at moderate rates; we loan our own capital and will give prompt and courteous attention to applications from owners.
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Residences, apartments, stores, flats, ranches, IN SUMS OF $50 TO $50,000 AND UP.
Cash for first mortgages.
Straight building loans a specialty.
Interest at 6, 7 and 8 per cent. and up.
We act as brokers, placing very large loans.
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YOUR OPPORTUNITY.
To start the New Year right. Obtain your loan this week.
Money in all amounts. $1000 to $100,000.
City, country improved or vacant property. This is private money and will make more liberal loans than banking institutions.
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MONEY TO LOAN—
$500. $1000. $2000. $3000.
On improved property in L. A. county or city.
CONWAY & GLEASNER, 405 Laughlin Bldg.

QUICK SHORT LOANS—$50 TO $1000, 1 TO 12 months. First or second mortgages. Special rates to owners applying direct. No commission. No title fees. Our own funds. Money same day you apply. Money advanced for taxes, interest and other purposes. WATERMAN & CO., 304 Merchants National Bank Bldg., corner Sixth and Spring sts.

MONEY TO LOAN—
MORTGAGES
LOANS
BUILDING LOANS } at current rates.
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MONEY TO LOAN—WE HAVE ANY AMOUNT to loan at 5½ per cent. to 7 per cent., according to size and character of loan. Don't fail to see us if you wish to borrow money. A happy New Year to all. A3886. C. C. C. TATUM, Main 3303. 606 Merchants' National Bank Bldg. 6th & Spring.

WE LOAN OUR OWN FUNDS AND GIVE PROMPT and decisive attention to all matters presented to us.
Attention of principals invited.
ELLIOTT & HORNE COMPANY, Mezzanine Floor, Citizens Nat'l Bank Bldg. 10208. Main 7888.

TO LOAN—WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF RANCH loans; also loan on city property. $35,000 on hand in sums $2000 to $10,000, 7 per cent. No delay. F2544, 702 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

PLENTY OF MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTgages, low rate, any good security. We make 2nd mortgage loans. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4843.

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HAVE MORE 6 AND 7 MONEY THAN APPLIcations, money easy, prompt attention. Will also loan Imperial or San Joaquin valleys. PARIS FILLEY, 515 Union Oil.

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TO LOAN—$1000, $1200, $1800, $2500, $3000, $10,000, $14,000, 7 per cent.; 50 per cent. valuation; $3500, $5000, 6 per cent., 40 per cent. valuation. PHELPS, 410 Byrne Bldg.

TO LOAN — $2500, $3000, SOME PRIVATE money, same belonging to my clients; want to put this out before the 10th. J. S. GIBSON, 1325 Berkshire. 39776.

WILL LOAN $7000 ON YOUR MODERN HOME worth $12,000. Wilshire, Hollywood district. TOMLINSON, 1105 Story Bldg. 14124. Bdwy. 4115.

TO LOAN—6 PER CENT. MONEY ON FIRST mortgage. SCHWEINHARD, 222 Grosse Bldg., 124 West Sixth St.

PRIVATE MONEY, LARGE OR SMALL AMOUNTS first and second mortgages. J. R. HENRY, 411 Investment Bldg. 60280. Broadway 7735.

MONEY TO LOAN AT CURRENT RATES ON city real estate. F. H. EVARTS, 504 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 2688. A2688.

MONEY TO LOAN—$150, $500, $1000, $2000, for first mortgages, Los Angeles or suburbs. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4843.

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GIVES ONE MONTH FREE.
NOTHING TO PAY UNTIL JANUARY, 1917.
Loans for $10 to $100. You get the money the day you apply and your first payment does not come due until 60 days from date.
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FIDELITY LOAN COMPANY, S.E. corner 4th and Broadway. Entrance 4th st. F5421. 329 Mason Bldg. Bdwy. 3171.

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MONEY ADVANCED SALARIED EMPLOYEES without security. Easy payments. Strictly confidential. Private interviewing rooms. EMPIRE LOAN COMPANY, 300 Title Insurance Building.

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Money loaned on diamonds and late model automobiles while in use.

SALARIED MEN AND WOMEN ACCOMMODATED without delay or publicity. SOUTHERN CREDIT CO., 411 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

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Diamonds—Jewelry.

DO YOU WANT MONEY?
We loan on diamonds, automobiles, jewelry, silverware, pearls, pianos, typewriters, furs, rugs and all valuable articles. Priv. rooms. Confidential.
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Liberal loans, courteous treatment. W. L. WHEDON, Mgr., 402 Trust and Savings Bldg., 6th and Spring.

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DIAMONDS ARE SAFE LEFT WITH US. INTEREST 1 TO 2 PER CENT. PER MONTH. No other charges. Loan any amount. Our own money. Confidential. Private rooms. Established 14 years. REFERENCES: Any Bank or Jewelry Firm. Diamonds kept Hellman Bank Deposit Vault. KUBEL LOAN COMPANY. 300-1 Stimson Bldg. Third and Spring. F8208. Bdwy. 3228.

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LOANS ON DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY. Upstairs, GOVERNMENT LOAN OFFICE, upstairs, 432 S. Main st., Canadian Bldg., Rooms 8 to 11.

MONEY WANTED— Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MILLIONS— OF DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS ARE BEING PAID OUT THIS MONTH. ARE YOU ONE OF THE FORTUNATE ONES? BETTER GET BUSY AND REINVEST YOUR AMOUNT IN A GOOD FIRST MORTGAGE. CONNECT UP WITH "THE LIVE WIRES" THEY'LL PLACE IT FOR YOU. DOUBLE QUICK. SEE MR. STACK. GOLDMAN-STACK MORTGAGE CO., Fifth floor CALIFORNIA BUILDING, BROADWAY AT SECOND ST. MAIN 867. A1204.

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WANTED—MONEY— $8000—7. Twenty acres, bearing lemons, frostless location, Corona; owner holds at $40,000. $6000—7. Modern brick building, located on Fair Oaks, near Colorado, Pasadena, val. $15,000. $7000—7. Beautiful modern 10-room residence, Third ave., near Pico. Value $16,000. $6000—8. Forty acres, full bearing date grove, Coachella, owner's home, value $35,000. MOYER & GILBERT, 14627. 302 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY FOR CHOICE FIRST MORTGAGES. $1800—Pretty bungalow, worth $2500. $1500—Modern bungalow, worth $3500. $1600—2-story residence, worth $4000. $2000—2-story Westlake home, $5000. $2500—Nice flats, worth $5600. $3000—Beautiful home, Pasadena, $9000. $5000—New apartments, close in, $14,000. and others from $500 to $10,000. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

MONEY WANTED— $1900, 10 acres, unimproved, San Fernando. $1800, 8 rooms, 2 baths, N. Wilshire corner. $4000, 8 rooms, 1 block from Wilshire near Western. $7000, 12 rooms 3 baths, close to Wilshire. $7500, 12 rooms, 75-ft. corner, West Adams Heights. NICHOLS, 333 S. Hill st. 60286; Main 2888.

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MONEY WANTED— $1500. 3 years, 8 per cent., on mortgage or 7 per cent., trust deed. A fine vacant corner worth $3500. CONWAY AND GLEASNER, 405 Laughlin Bldg.

MONEY WANTED—PRIVATE FUNDS. VARIOUS amounts on gilt-edge securities. We guarantee satisfaction. Our appraisals are backed by years of banking experience as to valuation. Principals only. State amounts available. Manager, MANOA FINANCIAL & LOAN CO. (Reg.) 603 Hibernian Bldg. F3425.

WANTED—MONEY— BROKERS, ATTENTION! I want to borrow some money, first mortgage, on good city property. I will pay commission. I need the following amounts: $600, $1200, $2000, $2750, $3000, $3500 and $6000. WALTER FRANKLIN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. F4636.

WANTED—$65,000 ON FIRST-CLASS SUBDIVISION property located in choicest part of Altadena, conservative cash valuation $180,000. Only principals or exclusive agents need apply. No information given except to those in direct touch with funds. Address K, box 335, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$1750, ON CITY BUNGALOW, HELD at $3000. $1750 to $2000, on Venice bungalow, held at $4000, $1500 building loan. Two large amounts on two beautiful lots, held at $1500 each. ANDERSON INVESTMENT CO., 60702.

WANTED—LOAN OF $22,000 AT 6 PER CENT., for three or five years on high class three story brick income property in business center of Long Beach, appraised at $50,000. Owner. Address FS, box 405, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—6 PER CENT. GUARANTEED ON your money. Security first mortgage trust deed. $5 will start you. If desiring further particulars give address, stating amounts available. Address MANOA FINANCIAL AND LOAN COMPANY, 603 Hibernian Bldg.

WANTED—$700 ON TRUST DEED, SUBJECT TO first mortgage, both do not exceed 50 per cent. of value of the property, will pay $50 bonus and 2 per cent. per month for 6 months. LESLIE B. RIGGINS CO., 301 Union Oil Bldg. A1455; Bdwy. 7458.

WANTED—$2700, FIRST MORTGAGE; NO COMMISSION; new double bungalow of 8 rooms, corner lot, North Wilshire section; has hardwood floors, cement porch and all latest built-in effects; valued $6500. Tel. 14289, Broadway 787. 709 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG.

WANTED—$6000 AT 8 PER CENT. INTEREST (courtesy to agents) first mortgage on very pretty 8-room bungalow, on big lot, on good street, Eagle Rock City; value $9500. I recommend the loan. HENRY ENGEN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. 64686.

WANTED—$3250, FIRST MORTGAGE ON BEAUTIFUL bungalow on Beachwood drive, Hollywood. Conservative value $5200. Owner's home. SCHOENBORN, 633 Story Bldg. Main 4160; 63487.

WANTED—$2500, PAY 8 PER CENT. INTEREST and $100 commission; first mortgage on pretty Alhambra bungalow, in nice location and paved street; value $5000. ENGEN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. 64686.

WANTED—$6000 FIRST MORTGAGE ON BEAUTIFUL 9-room bungalow; big corner lot; center of best part of Hollywood; value $12,500. Absolute security. HENRY ENGEN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. 64686.

WANTED—$1250, FIRST MORTGAGE ON TWO pretty lots, southwest, restricted tract; all street work is in and paid for; spot-cash value $2500. I will pay 10 per cent. interest and $50 bonus. ENGEN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. 64686.

WANTED—$30,000, 7 PER CENT., 3 YEARS, three storerooms, two houses, North Broadway, near Courthouse. Monthly income $320. YANKEE BOND AND MORTGAGE CO., 60535. Main 174.

WANTED—$1900, FIRST MORTGAGE, NEW 6-room bungalow, hardwood floors, cement porch and strictly up-to-date, lot 50x140; good garage; valued at $4000. Call 709 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG. 14289, Broadway 787.

WANTED—$2000, 8 PER CENT., ON COUNTY property, worth $8000; also want $1000, excellent security. 327 WEST THIRD ST., A3307, Main 8561.

WANTED—$5000, SHORT TIME ON $100,000 equity. Own $100,000 of other real estate; highest moral risk. 924 SECURITY BLDG.

WANTED—$75,000 FIRST MORTGAGE LOAN ON Pasadena improved; ground value $150,000. 924 SECURITY BLDG.

WANTED — MANAGER FOR A CORPORATION with $60,000 cash assets. Must have $5000 to invest for additional equipment. 557491. Address K, box 487, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—MONEY. $1600, 3 years, 7 per cent. Fine bungalow Southwest. Well worth $3500. No agents. PHONE 560765.

MONEY WANTED—$3000 WANTED ON 70 feet of beach property at Santa Monica, valued at $21,000. Address FS, box 489, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—I WANT TO BORROW $450. WILL pay good interest and give trust deed subject to first mortgage. Security good. Address P, box 178, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PRINCIPAL WITH $3600, 8 PER cent., on modern brick garage. 427 Broadway, Glendale. Value $8000. Investigate today. MILLER, 527 Bixel, 55409.

WANTED—MONEY. $2000, 7 PER CENT. MODern house, large lot, $60,000. $15,000, 7 per cent., apartment-house, close in, $37,500. THOMAS PHELPS, 410 Byrne Bldg. Phone 66413.

WANTED—$10,500 ON 360 FEET ON 100-FOOT boulevard, surrounded by mansions, heart of Wilshire district, valued at $60 per foot. Phone M. 4309. F6845.

WANTED—$2750 AT 8 PER CENT. INTEREST, first mortgage on two good houses, near Western and Pico, valued at $5000. ENGEN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. 64686.

WANTED—$4500 FIRST MORTGAGE, 3 YEARS, on close-in semi-business property. See owner. 356 WILCOX BLDG. F0718.

WANTED—$2700, STRAIGHT LOAN, SECURITY first class close in. No agents. Address M, box 517, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$1800, 3 YEARS, 8 PER CENT. situated on 100-foot boulevard, Wilshire section locality, the finest. F3389. WILSHIRE 5862.

WANTED—$3000 ON HIGH CLASS INCOME property in Hollywood, valued $12,000; no commission. Phone HOLLY. 2082.

MONEY WANTED— Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—$800 AT 8, ON FIRST-CLASS LOT, good house, $1100, at 7, on 2 pretty bungalows. FILLEY. 515 Union Oil.

WANTED—$2400 ON 6-ROOM HOUSE, 3218 S. Hoover, for 3 years, 7 per cent. Resident OWNER.

WANTED—$20,000, $15,000, FIRST, ALSO $5000, second. Commission to agents. 53877.

STOCKS AND BONDS—

TRUVILLE & CO.— Members Los Angeles Curb Market. Third floor, I. W. Hellman Bldg. Stocks and bonds bought and sold. Loans on stocks and bonds made. Stocks and bonds sold on 25 per cent. margin and on installments. Mail orders executed. Weekly market quotations furnished on application. Unlisted stocks a specialty. Buy Oatman Jumbo at 7½c, adjoining United Northern on the west and Gold Road Bonanza on the north, which made a strike of 4 feet, $18 to $54, high-grade ore, and jumped to 20c; buy Oatman Jumbo at 7½c while you can obtain same at this low price, as it will surely prove better than its neighbors.

FOR SALE—WILL DISCOUNT HIGH-CLASS 6 PER cent. bonds, certified by State Banking Department. WM. G. YEO, 924 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE—1000 SHARES ORION MINING AND Milling, stock will stand investigation. F2551.

MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS, Etc. For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

WANTED—WE BUY MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS AND CONTRACTS OF SALE ON REAL ESTATE. Money always ready. No delays. FRIENDLY & FYBUSH, 923 Van Nuys Bldg. Phone F5887.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE SOLD REAL ESTATE on contract and want to sell contracts at discount, I have the money. Address P, box 178, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—TWO FIRST-CLASS TRUST DEEDS, one $600 and one $1200, at a price to net 10 per cent. to purchaser. WALTER FRANKLIN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. F4636.

FOR SALE—A-1 TRUST DEED, SUBJECT TO bank loan, $2500; improved city; need money; will take $859 for $968; some buy. See this. MAIN 1696; 67601.

FOR SALE— Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—FINE PORCH SASH, $3.50, 3.7x4.5 and 4x4.5. A few more clothes closets at $5. Big lot of one panel doors with finest locks and hinges $2.50. Big lot of store doors cheap. Hundreds of old doors at 25c up. Lath $1.50 per 1000; shingles 40c per bunch, full count. New lumber $14 and up; used lumber $10 and up; tin shingles, 75c per 100. Kalsomine, 3c per lb. Garden hose, 5c per ft. Ready roofing $1 per roll, 30-gal. range boilers, $5. Vitreous sinks, 30x20, $1.50. Lip urinals, $1. Vitreous laundry trays, $6.50, complete. Hundreds of similar bargains. WHITING WRECKING CO., 780 San Pedro st.

FOR SALE— CASH REGISTER BARGAINS. New American cash register, used National Cash registers. I buy, sell and trade in every kind that's made. I have a complete repair shop for all makes. I CUT THE PRICES. J. R. WALLER. Corner 4th and Los Angeles sts.

FOR SALE— $30 WALL BOARD, $22.50. Now on hand one of the largest stocks in many months. All stock widths and lengths. Most economical interior finish. Fine for remodeling attics, etc. WHITING-MEAD CO., Ninth at Maple avenue.

FOR SALE— CASH REGISTERS. Nationals of all kinds and sizes, good as new, at very low prices. We can save you about one-half. The very latest model registers made in stock. See our line before buying. Easy terms. Fully guaranteed. CASH REGISTER EXCHANGE, 354 S. Los Angeles st. Phone Main 4656.

FOR SALE — SHOWCASES, CIGAR, TOBACCO, wall cases, photo display cases, office partitions, counters, shelving, grocery display, bin counters, restaurant tables and equipments, scales, coffee mills, cheese cutters, mirrors, large clothiers' tables, tailors' cutting tables. Also a good line of bust forms, nickel and wood, window display fixtures. These we are closing out at a sacrifice. WHITING STORE FIXTURE CO., 414 E. Ninth st. Main 4479.

FOR SALE—DIAMOND BARGAINS SAVE MONEY, buy direct from diamond merchant. Hundreds of diamond rings, $25 to $2500; all sizes to 5 carats. You take no chances buying from a reliable dealer. CLARK, THE DIAMOND MERCHANT, 704 South Broadway, Lankershim Hotel. 20 YEARS IN THE DIAMOND BUSINESS.

FOR SALE — CARBOLASTIC WATERPROOFING FOR ROOFS. Costs 60 cents for 100 square feet. Don't discard that old roof before seeing us. Roof expert in charge. Consultation free. HOFFMAN-MARKS HARDWARE CO., 226 S. Main. Home 60046. Main 1400.

FOR SALE— WRECKING JOBS. We begin wrecking buildings at the southwest corner of 7th and Olive sts. about January 22. All material will be sold or the job to let to suit, at very reasonable prices. WHITING WRECKING CO.

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FOR SALE— CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS in the Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturday. Classified "Want ads," etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

FOR SALE — ONE MILLION CLEANED BRICK. Don't fail to get our prices before you buy brick. All good hard red brick. WHITING WRECKING CO., 780 San Pedro st.

FOR SALE — ROOFING PAPER, 50c ROLL, "Angelus" guaranteed roof paints for any roof, 5-gallon can, $1.75. This week only. ANGELUS ROOFING CO., 768 S. San Pedro st. Bdwy. 5401; F1361.

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FOR SALE—WE BUY AND SELL EVERYTHING electrical. See us for electrical bargains. ELECTRICAL WRECKING CO., 449 S. Los Angeles st., Main 4097.

FOR SALE—OR RENT—LARGEST ASSORTMENT invalid wheel chairs, physicians' hospital, nurses' supplies. PROFESSIONAL SUPPLY CO., 415 W. Fifth.

FOR SALE—TANKS, TANKS, CHEAPEST, YET guaranteed used redwoods, 300 to 25,000 gallons, $12 to $90; new 1000 galvanized, $24.50; 2000, $34.50. DEMMITT, 120 N. Main.

FOR SALE—PRINCESSA SHOP, PHILIPPINE EMbroidery. Philippine prices. Trousseau lingerie. Infants' clothing. 908 S. BURLINGTON AVE. F4578.

FOR SALE—ROOFING PAPER, 2-PLY, $1 ROLL, finest quality made. Entire stock must go. ANGELUS ROOFING & PAPER CO., 768 S. San Pedro st. F1361; Bdwy. 5401.

FOR SALE—1000 CARDS, 250 LETTERHEADS, billheads, statements, tickets, announcements, contracts, $1; finished today. PANAMA PRINTING PLANT, 212 Mercantile Place.

FOR SALE—LARGE STOCK OF USED AND NEW showcases and store fixtures of all kinds; cash or terms. W. T. WILSON, 312 S. Los Angeles st. A4571. Main 7689.

FOR SALE—I HAVE TEN BRAND NEW FLOOR heaters, total value about $300. Will sell cheap for cash or exchange. Make offer. 59820, MAIN 822.

FOR SALE— "TAKE TIME BY THE FORELOCK." Telephone your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

FOR SALE—EUCALYPTUS WOOD, DRY, $3.25 a tier, split chunks, stumps, 25c sack. These prices are from the yard. 713 N. BDWY. Main 4413. S. SAIDA.

FOR SALE—ROOF LEAK CEMENT, 25C; ROOF paints, 40c gallon. SCOTT, the roofer, 1702 S. MAIN. South 877—Home 24696.

FOR SALE — SAFES, SOLE DEALERS, HALL'S standard safes, new and used. Terms or trade. SHEALY SAFE CO., 212 S. Hill.

FOR SALE — SPECIAL SALE SAFETY CORN razors, 10c each; we grind razors, shears, all edged tools. 130 N. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—BUTCHER'S REFRIGERATOR, 6x8x10, $75. Good condition. CITY REFRIGERATOR CO., 37th and Alameda. Watts car.

FOR SALE — ONE 351 WINCHESTER AUTOmatic, one 22-H.P. Savage, new. Call HOLLYWOOD 1712.

FOR SALE—WINDMILLS, SOME NEARLY NEW, 8 ft., $19.50; 10, $27.50; 12-ft. Aermotor, new, $48; dozen others. DEMMITT, 120 N. Main.

FOR SALE—TYPE A. M. 30-AMPERE WESTINGHOUSE, MERCURY ARC, RECTIFIER; MUST BE SOLD THIS WEEK. 1007 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—4-ROOM COTTAGE TO BE MOVED from premises promptly. Call 924 CASTELAR STREET.

FOR SALE—NEW RED VELVET EVENING COAT. Good bargain. Call 59548.

FOR SALE—1 BILLIARD AND 2 POOL TABLES. Inquire at 11 NAVY AVE., Venice.

FOR SALE—PRACTICALLY NEW GO-CART, $8. Phone EAST 3294.

FOR SALE—FIREPROOF OFFICE SAFE, GOOD AS new. 402 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE— For quick action drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

BILLIARD TABLES— And Supplies.

FOR SALE—BILLIARD TABLES, BRAND NEW, carom and pocket, with complete outfit, $125; second-hand tables at reduced prices; bowling alleys and accessories; cigar store, drug, delicatessen and soda fountain fixtures, easy payments. THE BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO., 845 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE— Furniture.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE BY THE PIECE. French Wilton Body Brussels and Axminster rugs, dressers, chiffoniers, dressing tables, handsome library center and pedestal extension tables, leather seat chairs, loose leather auto seat rockers, massive mahogany bedroom suite, twin beds, brass and white enamel bed, steel springs, sanitary couch, floss and felt mattresses, Lyric phonograph, refrigerator, gas range, gas, oil and electric heaters. Call after Sunday. 1447 S. UNION AVE.

FOR SALE—CONTENTS OF BEAUTIFUL HOME, furnishings 8 months old, magnificent Circassian walnut set, mahogany piece dining set; Jacobean pieces, refrigerator, bed springs, mattresses, Turkish leather rocker; Kohler-Chase player piano, rug, everything pertaining to home, by piece; big sacrifice. 1400 CONSTANCE ST. W. Pico car. Reed breakfast set. West 5505. 21768.

FOR SALE—SOLID MAHOGANY BEDROOM SETS, brass beds, 9x12 rugs, fumed oak dining and living-room sets, real leather Davenport, Drophead sewing machine, mahogany player piano, mahogany and fumed oak rockers, high oven gas range, refrigerator, etc. 1816 W. ADAMS ST. 74609.

FOR SALE—MAHOGANY LIBRARY TABLE, WALnut and white enamel bedroom sets, fumed oak dining table and leather seat chairs; will sell any piece of furniture in 10-room house; house for rent. 1826 W. 9TH. Broadway 5215. 54888.

FOR SALE—FUMED OAK DINING AND LIVING-room sets, 9x12 rugs, mahogany, birdseye maple and satin walnut bedrooms, brass beds, high oven gas range, refrigerators, fireless cooker, etc. 1718 FLOWER ST. West 4084. 28856.

FOR SALE—WILL SACRIFICE FINE FURNITURE and rugs of large house; this is your chance to get good furniture cheap; everything complete for housekeeping. Call 1952 LOVELACE AVE. Phone 21768.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF FOUR-ROOM BUNgalow, very reasonable, owners leaving town, house for rent. Take Stephenson avenue car to Doris street. 907 DORIS ST.

FOR SALE—REMEMBER THE AUCTION OF ELEgant furniture and rugs Tuesday, Jan. 2, 1917, 2 p.m. at 216 E. 31ST ST. CALIFORNIA AUCTION CO.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND RUGS, FUMED oak and mahogany. 3902 WISCONSIN ST., cor. 39th after New Year's.

OFFICE EQUIPMENT— For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE— WEBER SHOWCASE & FIXTURE CO. Desk Dept. A complete line of office furniture and equipment. The largest display rooms in Los Angeles. Full line of steel and wood filing cabinets. Second-hand store connected. 316-330 SO. LOS ANGELES ST. Main 9184. A2908.

FOR SALE— RARE BARGAINS IN DESKS. SPECIAL VALUES IN OFFICE CHAIRS, SEE THESE. FINAL CLEAN-UP OF MAHOGANY ROLL TOPS. We Exchange Furniture. Trade in that old outfit at little expense. SEE US TUESDAY. LOS ANGELES DESK CO., Main 2705. 848-50 S. Hill st. A2055.

FOR SALE—A FEW SNAPS FOR THE COMING week—Four-section filing cabinet; four roll-top desks; two Golden Oak typewriter desks; forty office and lobby chairs, and a lot of smaller articles, indispensable for office use. FIXTURE CLEARING HOUSE, 111-115 Winston st.

WANTED—WE BUY, SELL, EXCHANGE ALL kinds of office furniture. THE DESK EXCHANGE, 302 S. Los Angeles st. Main 9194.

WANTED—OFFICE FURNITURE; EVERY DEscription; we pay highest prices. Phone Broadway 7789. SPELLMAN DESK CO., 730 S. Spring.

WANTED—COMPLETE SET OFFICE FURNITURE in good condition for cash. Phone BUYER, MAIN 3482.

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THINGS ON WHEELS— All Sorts. Automobiles.

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE— You want to buy a car this way if you can. You want to buy a car from a person who is down and out, who must sell because he needs the money. This may be right, but did you ever stop to think that you would have no recourse if things were not as represented. Isn't it better to buy from a company whose business is not second-hand cars, but who are forced to sell second-hand cars, because they must take them in trade on new cars and from persons whose cars are in perfect condition, but desire to keep up to the minute and therefore trade their car in on a new one? A company who sees in every purchaser of a used car a possibility of a new car sale later on and who therefore finds it good business to really take care of such a purchaser after as well as before the purchase. A company which is one of the strongest financially in this city and one that never makes a statement but those that it is willing to sign in writing and guarantee to be the truth, and whose used car department is managed by a man who has been eight years in the automobile business in this city and one who knows that what the purchaser wants is to know exactly the truth, and is willing to learn if the car is not perfect and willing to purchase that car if he knows that he has been told all the bad things about it, and can bank on those statements? We say that you can absolutely depend on us. Come in talk to us and we believe you will be satisfied. Open Sunday 11 to 4 p.m. any evening by phone appointment. Used car department, EARL V. ARMSTRONG COMPANY, INC., 1136 So. Olive Street. Phones: Home 60690, or Main 3459.

LOOK THEM OVER— The following used cars have been looked over and any mechanical work has been taken care of. Most of them have been repainted.

1915	Overland	$550
1913	Chalmers Six	$500
1913	Oakland	$300
1912	Oakland	$300
1913	Haynes	$400
1916	Haynes	$1050
1913	Haynes	$350
1913	Everett	$150
1915	Pierce	$650
1915	Haynes six	$875
1914	Haynes roadster	$550
1914	Haynes	$500
1913	Pope	$475
1913	Studebaker	$300
1913	Overland	$375
1912	Overland	$300
1912	Buick	$300
1912	Haynes	$250
1915	Apperson	$550
1912	Elmore	$200
1914	Haynes	$600
1915	Merkel motorcycle, electric lights and horn, side car.	

Easy Terms. BEKINS-SPEERS USED CAR DEPT., Bdwy. 90. Pico and Grand. A4222.

1916 MITCHELL— $735. FOR SALE—I WILL SELL MY 1916 MITCHELL 7-PASSENGER TOURING CAR, RUN LESS THAN 10,000 MILES, COSTING OVER $1500, FOR $735 CASH. UNDERSTAND THAT I WILL ONLY HOLD THIS OFFER FOR A FEW DAYS, THEREFORE IT WILL NECESSITATE QUICK ACTION. THE MILEAGE THIS CAR HAS HAD HAS NOT BEEN ENOUGH TO BREAK IT IN PROPERLY, AND UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES SOME ONE IS BOUND TO GET THE BIGGEST BARGAIN EVER OFFERED. NO TRADES OF ANY KIND CONSIDERED. CALL OWNER AT RESIDENCE 1320 WEST 41ST STREET. PHONE 26429; OFFICE PHONE BROADWAY 2603—A5331. ASK FOR MR. SNYDER.

CADILLAC 8— 1917 MODEL T-56. BRAND NEW. COST $2410. Can deliver immediately, cash or terms, for $2250, giving $160 discount; no deliveries can be made until April so get busy if you mean to get one. ARTHUR BOYCE, 1063 E. Colorado blvd., Eagle Rock City. Phone 60888 or Main 6711 for appointment. Will be out of town until Tuesday.

FOR SALE—LOCOMOBILE, 5-PASSENGER LIGHT Six; this car has seen very little service and is in the very best of condition; it has all the latest standard equipment; also seat covers; to be sold at a very low figure; don't fail to see this bargain. LOCOMOBILE CO., Pico at Figueroa. 10873, or Main 5068.

WE HAVE A STUDEBAKER SIX-CYLINDER, Series 17; seven-passenger touring car, in perfect mechanical condition, which looks like new, at a bargain price, as the owner is going abroad; also a 4-cylinder, Series 17, seven-passenger Studebaker touring car, as good as new, which we can sell very cheap; let us demonstrate them to you. FRANK D. PARENT, 130 N. Market st., Inglewood.

LARGE FIVE-PASSENGER (ROOM FOR 7 PASsengers,) six-cylinder, 65-h.p. automobile, Bosch magneto, five good tires. Make fine stage. Electric lights and starter. Car not dolled up. For sale by owner. Fine condition mechanically. Would trade for smaller car or sell for $550 cash (cost $3000.) Phone HOME 556318.

FOR SALE—ONE 30-60 STEARNS ENGINE, ONE 50 Rutenberg, one 30 Rutenberg, one Continental, all in good order, cheap, transmissions, Jack shafts, front and rear axles, radiators, windshields, carburetors, and full line of Studebaker parts, from 1910 to 1916 cars. 811 NORTH BROADWAY. Main 7304.

FOR SALE—THOMAS LITTLE SIX, 7-PASSENger. This car is in the very best of condition and will be sold at a very low figure; would make a good car for rent service or stage, as it is light and economical to run. Terms at no additional increase in price. PICO AT FIGUEROA. 10873, or Main 5068.

THINGS ON WHEELS— All Sorts. Automobiles.

STUDEBAKER OFFERS TODAY AN EXCEPTIONAL opportunity to anyone considering the purchase of a used car.

Our stock is larger than it has been for the past year. The sale of 26 new cars in the past week, involving a number of trades, together with the rainy weather, which has temporarily stopped used car sales, has brought about this condition.

It is imperative that we reduce this stock. The prices quoted below are proof positive of our willingness to sacrifice in order to force a few quick sales. Our special plan of resale will enable the tourist to purchase one of these machines and enjoy several months' use at a very nominal expense.

SPECIALS.

Three Packard "30's," one Pierce "48," one Kissell "6-60," taken in trade from the Keystone Film Company, go on sale today at prices too low to quote. Every car in excellent condition, good tires, and is just the thing for a man desiring either a rental or stage line car.

Auburn touring car, 1915 model, driven less than 8000 miles. Practically a new machine. Cost $1616. Our price $545

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Studebaker "20." This machine has been driven only 8800 miles. It has just had a set of new tires all around. There is 50,000 miles of good service in this machine, at $200

—ROADSTERS—

Studebaker "6." See this car, ride in it, and you will agree with us that it can't be told from new. Price $875

Haynes, one of the best buys we have ever offered. Classy appearance, Timken axles, front and rear, good top, good tires, good mechanically. Price $250

Saxon "4" $95

—TOURING CARS—

Studebaker "6," 17 series. A good buy in a car used only by one of the officials of the branch. It carries full guarantees as to parts and service. Price $1050

Studebaker "6", seven-passenger, 1915 model. A fine car in fine condition. Price $650

Studebaker "4," 1915 model. Revarnished. Experts know what a 1915 "4" Studebaker is—one of the best light five-passenger cars ever built. Price $550

Studebaker "4," 1914 model. Consider the construction of this machine. Full-floating axle, Timken bearings throughout, Wagner two-unit starting and lighting system. Price $400

Studebaker "35," a good family car, revarnished, electric starter, electric lights. Price $300

Hudson "33," lots of class in this machine. Finished Napier green with white wheels. Low, racy looking. Price $350

Franklin, 1912, model G. The man who is figuring on buying a new cheap car had far better put his money in this excellent machine. It is in splendid shape. Price $325

YOU SHOULD INVESTIGATE STUDEBAKER LIBERAL CREDIT PLAN. —TEACHING FREE— STUDEBAKER CORPORATION, OF AMERICA. 1047 South Grand avenue.

FOR SALE— FORDS—MORE—FORDS. NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION. We, the ROBT. S. SHRADER CO., resolve that in 1917 we will INCREASE our SALES TO 75 FORDS a MONTH. To do this we EXPECT to SELL CARS on a NARROW MARGIN of PROFIT, and continue to turn our cars out in PERFECT MECHANICAL CONDITION, WITH OUR THREE MONTHS' GUARANTEE, thereby making EVERY BUYER a BOOSTER. Take ADVANTAGE of our resolution. ROBT. S. SHRADER CO., 1-2-3-4 S. Main, at Pico.

FOR SALE—HUDSON 6-40, 1916 MODEL. UNDOUBTEDLY THE SWEETEST RUNNING HUDSON EVER OFFERED. I WILL ACCEPT $875 CASH FOR IT IF SOLD WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS. YOU MAY REST ASSURED THAT IN CONDITION AND APPEARANCE IT CANNOT BE TOLD FROM NEW, AND IT HAS NOT BEEN REFINISHED EITHER. THE TIRES ARE IN ELEGANT SHAPE ALSO. IF THIS CAR MEETS YOUR REQUIREMENTS I AM POSITIVE THAT THE PURCHASE OF SAME WILL MEAN A CLEAN SAVING TO YOU OF AT LEAST $200. BUT YOU MUST ACT QUICK AS THIS OFFER MAY BE WITHDRAWN AT ANY MOMENT. GET IN TOUCH WITH ME BY PHONING 26429; OFFICE PHONE BROADWAY 2603—A5331. ASK FOR MR. SNYDER.

TRAILERS— TRAILERS —TRAILERS. Trailers! Trailers! We build tailers! We have trailers! Trailers for lumber, fruit, pipe, cattle, camping or any other purpose. A dozen samples in stock. Our trailers are hand made by first-class carriage mechanics, well balanced, light, strong and roomy and the Cheapest in Town! Cheapest in Town! Give us the once over before buying and convince yourself of the big saving in price. AUTO WRECKERS, 1450 Central ave.

TAKE NOTICE— THE PEOPLES' AUTO MARKET. The largest of its kind offers a better selection of used cars than any other dealer of its kind. If you want to buy or sell come in and see MR. ILLO. He is a man of business. PEOPLES' AUTO MARKET, Main 6333. Cor. 11th and Main.

FOR SALE— Bosch, Mea, Dixie, Eisman, Splitdorf, Remy and National magnetos and coils; also electric generators, starters, lamps and horns, prestolite tanks, transmissions, radiators, differentials, windshields, gears, chains, etc. Orders by mail given particular attention. AUTO EXHIBIT & SUPPLY CO., No. 1130 South Main street.

FOR SALE— 1917 STUDEBAKER SIX ROADSTER. It's a sociable three-passenger roadster and like a new car in every respect. A ninety-day guarantee and terms to suit. Open New Year's Day. Bdwy. 6265. BROWN & CADMAN, F6468. 206 West Pico st.

MR. BUYER, WHY SPEND $2000 FOR A NEW car, when you can buy my light six 5-passenger touring car for $400 cash? It's just as good and think of what you'll save, $1600. Surely it's worth looking into. Call up BROADWAY 488 or, better still, come to 754 WALL ST.

FOR SALE—1914 FORD ROADSTER, MECHANically perfect, re-enameled, good tires. This is a Shrader Ford. You can't go wrong. $65 down. Guaranteed three months. Open Sunday and New Year's. SHRADER'S, 1-2-3-4 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—1917 FORD TOURING CAR. HAS only been run a short distance. Can be bought for over $50 below cost. 1909 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—8-CYLINDER STUDEBAKER, STARTer, lights, good looker and good shape; $450. See car and OWNER for demonstration at 1622 E. 41st st. A sacrifice. Main 1696; 67601.

TOURIST, WILL SELL FINE NEW WINTON 6, sacrifice; easy terms, or good mortgage; no trades entertained. A. J. WELLS, 508 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—FORD WITH SPLITDORF MAGNETO and racing body. 2120 W. PICO. 24455, West 1765.

FOR SALE — NEW FORD TOURING BODIES, OLDS, VANTA & SMITH, 942 S. LOS ANGELES ST. A2228, BDWY. 5487.

THINGS ON WHEELS— All Sorts. Automobiles.

REMOVAL SALE— January 7 we move to the new Stearns home, Figueroa at Twelfth, and do not intend taking any of our stock of used cars if price will move them. Compare our prices with others of equal value.

1915 Benham Six, fully equipped, including Westinghouse shock absorbers, pink of condition	$800
1917 Cole 8, touring, new	$1350
1916 Scripps-Booth roadster, like new	$700
1916 OVERLAND touring, like new	$550
1916 Mercer 22-70; very fine condition; same as new	$1700
1916 Mitchell Six, 5-passenger; like new	$750
1916 Stearns Four—Guaranteed same as new	$1250
1915 Chalmers Six, light 7-passenger	$650
1915 Stutz roadster, good as new	$850
1915 Hupmobile, with sedan and open top, a bargain	$850
1914 Buick, 5-passenger	$425
1914 Studebaker Four, 5-passenger	$325
1914 Rambler light 7-passenger	$300
1913 Stearns Knight 5-passenger; starter, lights	$700
1912 Oldsmobile 4-passenger; fine condition	$325
1912 Cadillac, 4-passenger	$350
Detroit electric; best of condition; new batteries	$800

Open Sunday morning. LYNN C. BUXTON, STEARNS KNIGHT MOTOR CARS. F6851. Pico at Olive. Main 577.

ON JANUARY 1ST THIS COMPANY HAS been in business about one year. During this short time we have made considerable progress, due, we think to our honest, square policy of doing business. Our aim is to continue along these lines and strive at all times to treat our customers with courtesy and promptness.

You will find our stock of new and used accessories and parts, Fisk Tires, Zerolene, Oils and Greases complete, and we are sure our efficient business methods will meet with your approval. Now then we earnestly solicit your patronage and assure you that, as in the past, we will endeavor at all times to give our customers satisfaction. LOS ANGELES AUTO WRECKING AND SUPPLY HOUSE, INC., 1049 S. Main st.

BUICKS—

Buick D-44, little six roadster	$850
Buick D-45, little six touring	$850
Buick D-45, little six touring	$800
Buick C-37, 1915 touring	$700
Buick C-36, 1915 roadster	$700
Buick B-37, 1914 touring	$575
Buick B-24, 1914 roadster	$425
Buick 25, 1913 touring	$325
Buick 24, 1913 roadster	$275
Buick 31, 1913 touring	$300
Buick 40, '13 touring, elec. lights, generator	$350
Buick 30, '13 roadster, elec. lights, generator	$275
Buick 35, 1912 touring	$250
Buick 10, 1910 touring	$150
Buick 32, 1911 roadster	$150
Dodge roadster	$550
Dodge roadster	$700
Dodge touring	$650
Ford, 1916 roadster	$325
Ford, 1913 delivery	$225
Schacht light delivery	$150
Overland, 1911 roadster	$200
Overland, 1911 touring	$175
Gram, 1913, 1½-ton truck	$750

USED CAR DEPARTMENT, HOWARD AUTO CO., 1822-27 S. Flower.

FOR SALE—MY ELEGANT 1915 HUDSON 6-40, 7-PASSENGER TOURING CAR WITH ALL KINDS OF EXTRA EQUIPMENT, ETC. GOOD TIRES, ETC. I WILL TAKE $500 CASH FOR IT IF DISPOSED OF IN THE COURSE OF THE NEXT FEW DAYS. I BELIEVE THIS PRICE TO BE AT LEAST $250 UNDER THE MARKET AND ANY ONE WISHING TO PURCHASE A CAR OF THIS KIND WILL UNDOUBTEDLY PROFIT BY COMMUNICATING WITH THE OWNER AT ONCE. ADDRESS 1320 WEST 41ST STREET. PHONE 26429; OFFICE PHONE BROADWAY 2603—A5331. ASK FOR MR. SNYDER.

FOR SALE— We have without the least doubt, the largest and most complete assortment of automobile parts of all makes and years. See us for reliable goods and lowest prices. Special attention given to out-of-town orders. AUTO EXHIBIT & SUPPLY CO., No. 1130 South Main street.

WE ARE NOT FORCED TO SELL OR GOING East, but we are forced to sell cars that are right at the right prices, if we want to stay in business and we are here to stay. We can save you money on late model roadsters and touring cars. Have some bargains in Dodge, Buick, Paige, Studebaker, Overland, etc. SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO., 1148-50 South Olive street. Broadway 2008. A5331.

FOR SALE—LOZIER, 7-PASSENGER. THIS CAR has seen very little service and is in excellent condition; fully equipped, self-starter; just repainted; looks like new; taken in on a new Locomobile. See this car today, sure, as it will be sold at a great sacrifice. LOCOMOBILE CO., Pico at Figueroa. 10873, or Main 5068.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE—STUDEBAKER 4-40, SERIES 17 MODEL, FIRST-CLASS CONDITION. THIS IS A BARGAIN FOR SOMEONE. TERMS IF DESIRED. PHONE SUNSET SOUTH 106, ASK FOR APARTMENT 409.

OXY-ACETYLENE WELDING AND BRAZING OF broken parts of automobile and machinery. Portable outfit for outside work. Will go anywhere at any time. Prices reasonable. HOOSIER WELDING WORKS, 910 N. Broadway. Phone Main 2640.

FOR SALE—FORD COUPELET, MECHANICALLY perfect, demountable wheels, electric starters, other desirable extras. Guaranteed three months. Easy terms. Open Sunday and New Year's. 1234 S. MAIN.

FORD— 1917 touring car, practically new; will make a large sacrifice for cash, or can arrange easy terms. 1909 S. MAIN.

WE PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICES FOR JUNK autos, or second-hand cars; Bosch magnetos, Ford body, and parts for many makes of cars for sale cheap. PETERSON'S AUTO WRECKERS, 1520 S. Main st. Telephone Main 8374.

YOU ARE SURE TO BE SATISFIED WITH THE class of painting and finishing of the SEUBERT-LOONEY AUTO WORKS. They have modern drying methods. 1320 S. Main. Phone Main 7662.

1915 BUICK, C-25, TOURING CAR, OVERhauled, 5 good tires, high-class paint job, maroon body, white wheels. This car is a snap at $500. Easy terms. 2021 7TH AVE. 73724.

FORD— 1915 roadster, oversize tires, speedometer, and other extras; guaranteed; terms of $50 down. MORAN & McMENAMY, 1909 S. Main.

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SOME REAL BUYS AT $200 PER CAR. THIS is a real clearance sale. THE WINTON CO., 1225 S. Flower.

HOW ABOUT YOUR UPHOLSTERING OR REcovering your top, seat covers and top building. SEUBERT-LOONEY AUTO WORKS, 1320 S. Main. Phone Main 7662.

WYLLIS-KNIGHT OVERLAND TOURING CAR, run 18 miles, absolutely new, 1 year's guarantee goes with car, $250 down, balance easy. KELLY, 829 Santee st. Main 1845.

A DANDY 5-PASS. CASE, NEWLY PAINTED AND good shape. Terms, $75 down and $25 per month. F5334. BROADWAY 740.

WINTON SIXES OF LATE MODELS ARE VERY scarce. We have a couple beauties. THE WINTON CO., 1225 S. Flower.

FOR SALE—PIERCE-ARROW, 7-PASSENGER, 48, looks excellent and runs perfectly; to be sold at a very low figure; investigate before buying. PICO AT FIGUEROA, 10873, or Main 5068.

FOR SALE—OVERLAND ROADSTER, GOOD AS new, tires and engine perfect, going away. Must sacrifice. Call 918 FAIRVIEW AVE., Glendale, Cal.

HOW ABOUT YOUR UPHOLSTERING OR REcovering your top, seat covers and top building. SEUBERT-LOONEY AUTO WORKS, 1320 S. Main. Phone Main 7662.

WANTED—DIAMONDS. WILL PAY TOPNOTCH cash prices for your diamonds taken in automobile trades. J. C. FERGUSSON, 204-206 Laughlin Bldg. 315 S. Broadway.

DELIVERY CAR, SLIGHTLY USED, HALF-TON express body; electric starter. 1148 SOUTH OLIVE ST. Broadway 740; F5334.

THINGS ON WHEELS— All Sorts. Automobiles.

BUY NOW— Big reductions on our entire stock. A call will convince you our cars are all in good condition.

A KISSEL KAR. Bill of sale is behind every transaction. That alone should convince you to buy here. The cars we specify here have been inspected and put in first-class condition.

1916 Kissel Kar 6-42 touring	$1000
1916 Kissel Kar 4-32 touring	$875
1915 Kissel Kar 6-48 touring	$700
1916 Pullman Clover Leaf roadster	$600
1913 Kissel Kar 4-30 touring	$400
1916 Ford touring	$300
1915 Ford touring	$275
1914 Ford touring	$200
Rebuilt Packard "30" 7-pass.	$380
Columbia 7-pass. enclosed	$500
Late model Kissel sedan with both tops	$650

Liberal terms can be arranged. Let us explain our plans to you. THE PACIFIC KISSEL KAR BRANCH, 1001 S. Olive st. Bdwy. 2963. 10457.

REAL BARGAINS— Every car in this list is in splendid mechanical condition, has good tires and good paint. Every car is backed by this organization. You are safe here. The prices are right: 1916 Little Six Buick, 5-passenger. 1916 Model 83 Overland, 5-passenger. 1915 Dodge, 5-passenger. 1915 KisselKar, 5-passenger. 1916 Hudson 6-40, 7-passenger. 1916 Stutz "Bulldog," 4-passenger. 1915 Cadillac "8," 7-passenger. 1916 Chalmers "40," 7-passenger. 1913 Studebaker "6," 7-passenger. 1915 Premier, 7-passenger. 1916 Chandler, 7-passenger. 1915 Mercer runabout. Liberal terms if desired. Open Sunday till noon. Ask for Mr. Jones. MERCER-JORDAN AGENCY, 1057 S. Olive st. A4547. Main 7562.

FOR EXCHANGE—AUTOMOBILE FOR HIGH class furniture or Persian rugs or both. Late model 1916 Overland (heavy) roadster. Perfect condition. All new tires. Searchlight. Shock absorbers. Weed chains. Local business man will exchange for furniture or Persian rugs of equal value. About $1000. Address R, box 114, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—1915 LOCOMOBILE LITTLE SIX, 5-passenger; this car looks just as good as when sold new, as it has not seen very much service; now here is a chance for some one to get this very popular car at a big discount. See this today sure. LOCOMOBILE CO., Pico at Figueroa. 10873, or Main 5068.

FOR SALE— 1915 METZ ROADSTER. $225 for a quick sale on this little car. It's in the best of condition and away below the market at the price. Open New Year's day. F6468. BROWN & CADMAN. Bdwy. 6265. 206 W. Pico st.

FOR SALE—1915 FORD TOURING. YOU WILL never find a Ford in better mechanical condition. Guaranteed three months. $75 down. You can't go wrong at Shrader's. Open Sunday and New Year's. 1-2-3-4 S. MAIN.

FORD— 1916 touring car, equipped with shock absorbers, cut-out, siren whistle, speedometer, etc. Terms and guaranteed. MORAN & McMENAMY, 1909 S. Main.

CASH OR TERMS, 6-CYLINDER, 1916 CHANdler, excellent condition, also nearly new 6-cylinder Oldsmobile, only driven 4000 miles, must sell this week. Call and see them at 6542 HOLLYWOOD BLVD. Phone Hollywood 3158 or 579885.

FOR SALE—1916 OVERLAND 5-PASSENGER, model 83, guaranteed in perfect condition, newly painted, and good tires; must sacrifice this car at once; $500, small payment down and easy terms. Call Main 6060; Home 60408. MR. ALEXANDER.

FOR SALE—1914 FORD TOURING, JUST OVERhauled in our own shops; body fine shape. This will give as good service as new car. Terms $65 down. Guaranteed 3 months. Open Sunday and New Year's. SHRADER'S, 1-2-3-4 S. Main.

CONTRACTORS, SEE ME— Wanted built, small house. Give in part payment my late model family touring car, 5-passenger light Premier 4-40. Best possible condition. Cost $5000. 307 METCALF ST. Temple car.

FOR SALE — DODGE, BRAND NEW, 17 model, used two weeks, fire and theft insurance, extra tube. Want money to build on lot I bought this week. Car at 1642 SEVENTH AVE. Phone 75481.

FORD— 1916 touring car, only $275, terms of $50 down. Guaranteed with many extras. MORAN & McMENAMY, 1909 S. Main.

FORD OWNERS— Fords overhauled ....$8. Valves ground, carbon removed ....$2. "ALL WORK GUARANTEED." 2037 WEST PICO ST.

WANTED—GOOD AUTOMOBILE, LATE MODEL, in exchange for new patented show window device worth thousands of dollars to one who can handle it. Address O, box 284, TIMES OFFICE.

1916 STUDEBAKER, $525. Newly painted, good rubber, worth $650, look for yourself. 1048 S. OLIVE ST.

FOR SALE—FORD TOURING CAR, $250, TERMS of $50 down and $20 per month. Guaranteed. MORAN & McMENAMY, 1909 S. Main.

1916 5-PASS. PULLMAN, IN GOOD CONDITION; run only six months; electric starter and lights; must sell quick; a big bargain; terms. 57534.

FOR SALE—FOR WANT OF USE APPERSON roadster, 1915, 45 H. P., A-1 tires, chains, extras, bargain. W. R. SHANKS, 310 South Alvarado st. Wil. 3200.

FOR SALE—MY 1911 PACKARD, 5-PASSENGER, fine condition, overhauled every part., all good tires; one extra, looks like new car, price $800. 731 E. NINTH PLACE.

FOR SALE—NEWLY PAINTED AND TRIMMED 1912 racer in fine condition, $200. Address F. O. WHEELOCK, Trinity Hotel, 847 South Grand Avenue.

PACKARD 30, 7-PASS. JUST COMPLETELY OVERhauled, new one-man top, seat cover, repainted; 5 good tires. Bargain. 303½ N. VENDOME. Wilshire 4808.

YOU WANT TO BUY, I MUST SELL. SEE MY 1916 Oldsmobile and we will get together on the price, cash or terms. 1244 ARDATH AVE., Hollywood 2111.

HOW ABOUT YOUR UPHOLSTERING OR REcovering your top, seat covers and top building. SEUBERT-LOONEY AUTO WORKS, 1320 S. Main. Phone Main 7662.

FOR SALE—1911 CHAIN DRIVE STEARNS, IN perfect condition, new tires, etc.; well worth $800, today $250 buys it; quick action is necessary. Call A3862 or M. 2165 or 560389.

FIVE-PASSENGER CASE TOURING CAR, ELECtric lights, starter and good tires, in fine condition; will sell or trade for light car. MAXWELL GARAGE, 1840 S. Main st.

FOR SALE—TWO-TON G.M.C. TRUCK THORoughly overhauled, good tires and new paint. Apply PIKE AUTOMOBILE AND WAGON WORKS, 317 Central ave.

1916 STUDEBAKER AUTOMOBILE, FIRST-CLASS condition; owner leaving city, must sell at once, cheap. Apply 2207 CENTRAL AVE., Shannon Garage.

USED FORDS, 4 EXCELLENT ONES AT LOW prices, to select from; open this morning. NOLL-BARNES, Ford Agency, Avenue 20 and North Broadway. East 323. 31003.

FOR SALE—1916 WILLYS-KNIGHT, MODEL 84T touring car, at a sacrifice, run less than 10,000 miles; can be shown and demonstrated at the Overland Co., 1226 S. OLIVE ST.

CHEVROLET, $490, USED SIX WEEKS ONLY; driven less than 2000; have no profitable use for car now; bargain for early sale, $475 cash. Address P, box 263. TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—1915 FORD TOURING CAR, NEW top, new paint and in good condition, big sacrifice for cash. 731 SAN PEDRO. Phone Main 1047.

FOR SALE—STUDEBAKER SIX, LATE 1914 7-passenger, electric light and starter, cheap for cash. Address P, box 140, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—5-PASSENGER, 1916 ALLEN, FULLY equipped, perfect condition. See it to appreciate bargain. PEOPLE'S AUTO MARKET, 11th and Main.

FOR SALE—LATE MODEL FORD TOURING CAR, in A-1 condition; a bargain for cash. Call at my home, 2630 HALLDALE, between 9:30 and 12 Monday.

WANTED—1916 FORDS, TERMS; RESPONSIBLE party. Address TM, box 489, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

1913 CADILLAC ROADSTER IN GOOD CONDItion, any reasonable offer takes it. W. E. BUSH, 1701 S. Grand ave.

FIRST MORTGAGE OR DIAMONDS FOR MY classy roadster, a genuine bargain. EBNER, 500 Metropolitan Bldg. Main 497. 52882.

FOR SALE — LATE 1916 HUPMOBILE, FIVE-passenger, absolutely perfect. 427 N. SERRANO, Holly 685.

$140—SMALL STUDEBAKER ROADSTER, SPLENdid condition; new tires, paint. 634 E. 24TH STREET.

FOR EXCHANGE—$75 VICTROLA, WITH RECords, as first payment on Ford or Dodge car, 231 Colima, rear 224 S. Union ave.

1917 OVERLAND ROADSTER, MODEL 75-B, almost new. Run 3000 miles. Perfect shape. Will sacrifice or trade for Ford. 1534 W. 7TH.

BRING YOUR CAR TO THE SEUBERT-LOONEY AUTO WORKS and let them paint or revarnish it. 1320 S. MAIN. Phone Main 7662.

1914 FORD TOURING IN FINE SHAPE, TAKEN in on new 1917. Priced for immediate sale. W. D. DUNHAM, FORD AGENCY, 7th and Union.

THINGS ON WHEELS— All Sorts. Automobiles.

READ THIS— We have a few extra good used cars, taken in trade on new Jeffreys, we are not maintaining an expensive used car department, therefore we can sell our used cars at cost, in other words just what we allow for them. We have an Overland, 1916 six, light seven-passenger, that has been run 4800 miles, by an auto mechanic; this car is actually as good as a new car and is certainly better for you than a new cheap one. Also, we have a 1916 Studebaker six-cylinder, seven-passenger, that is almost as good for less money. If you like a Knight motor we have a Stearns-Knight with electric lights and starter, perfect mechanical shape, at about half the price usually asked for this model. If you are interested in a good, substantial family car with electric lights and starter we have a 1913 Rambler at the low price of $275. We have many other bargains; on account of our moving to our new building, we are offering wonderful buys. Ask for Mr. Maguire. HARTWELL MOTOR COMPANY, 1242 S. Flower.

NOTICE— SPECIAL BARGAINS.

1915 Stutz roadster, guaranteed, new paint, good tires.

1916 Chalmers "6-40," 7-passenger, tires and paint all good $750

1914 Premier touring car, 7-passenger, new tires, a good buy.

Pope racer, fast and classy, all new tires.

Two Roamer demonstrators, guaranteed as new, with factory service.

All the above cars are guaranteed to be in excellent condition; easy terms if desired. See Mr. Knight. MOTORS DIST. CO. OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, 750 South Grand ave. Home A4257. Main 2125.

FOR SALE—1915 HUDSON 6-54, 7-PASSENGER, COSTING OVER $2500 AND ONLY RUN ABOUT 11,000 MILES IN ALL. IT HAS BEEN ELEGANTLY REFINISHED AND OVERHAULED BY HUDSON EXPERTS AT AN EXPENSE OF OVER $250. CIRCUMSTANCES NECESSITATE THE SALE OF THIS BEAUTIFUL CAR WITHIN THE VERY NEXT FEW DAYS AND IN ORDER TO OBTAIN IMMEDIATE RESULTS THE PRICE OF SAME WILL BE $675 CASH. THIS OFFER IS SUBJECT TO WITHDRAWAL AT MY DISCRETION, SO ACT QUICK IF YOU WANT IT AT THIS PRICE. PHONE OR ADDRESS MR. SNYDER, 1320 W. 41ST STREET. 26429; OFFICE PHONE BDWY. 2603—A5331.

FOR SALE— Parts for all makes of cars, engines, Buick, National, Ford, Peerless, Studebaker, 20, 30, and 36 h.p., Excelsior, Overland and many others. Transmissions, front and rear axles, wheels, springs, radiators, bodies, lamps, prestolites, gears and bearings of all kinds, magnetos, batteries, Bowser portable gas tank, 5 h.p. electric motor, D.C. Everything for the auto. Prices the lowest. AUTO SUPPLY AND WRECKING PLACE, 1131 South Los Angeles street.

WANT BUICK, HUP OR GOOD LATE MODEL car. Have $1500 equity in 7-room bungalow, Boyle Heights. For sale light car, fine shape, Bosch magneto, Master carburetor, electric battery, Prestolite lamp, spot light, Eveready starter, price $350. REYNOLDS, 301 Union Oil Bldg., Main 1667, F8225.

BOSCH HIGH TENSION MAGNETOS, BOSCH spark plugs, carburetors, Master Schebler, Holly, Rayfield and Kingstons, head lights, side and rear lights, one set of 36x4½ demountable rims and wheels, complete. Good tires off wrecked cars. Wood's everlock for patching your tubes. 811 NORTH BROADWAY, Main 7304.

SIX-CYLINDER CHALMERS LIMOUSINE—HAS electric lights and starter. Is in elegant shape. Tires like new. Finest buy in the city for rent purposes. This is one car that must be seen to be appreciated. Will make a big sacrifice. Apply Sunday. GREER-ROBBINS CO., Used Car Dept., 961 S. Olive.

FOR SALE—LOCOMOBILE, 4-PASSENGER LITtle Six; late model; this car has seen very little service, and will be sold under the full factory guarantee for less than half the original cost; our easy terms; don't fail to see this exceptional bargain. LOCOMOBILE CO., Pico at Figueroa. 10873, or Main 5068.

IMPORTANT NOTICE— Prospective cash buyers of any new 1917 touring car, roadster or new truck of any make can save $100 to $250 by writing ARTHUR BOYCE, box 175, R.F.D. 1, Los Angeles.

FORDS— 1914 and 1915 touring cars at the very low terms of $50 down; all guaranteed. MORAN & McMENAMY, 1909 S. Main.

FOR SALE—1916 FORD TOURING. WHY BUY new cars when you can get cars like this and save first depreciation? Guaranteed three months. Easy terms. Open Sunday and New Year's. SHRADER'S, 1234 S. Main.

1913 FORD— 1913. 5-pass. Just taken in trade and will sell cheap. THE WINTON CO., 1225 S. Flower.

1914 PIERCE-ARROW, 48, SEVEN-PASS. JUST been repainted. Brewster green, new one-man top, new seat covers, Westinghouse air springs, car is fully equipped and in excellent condition, looks like new. A real bargain for someone. W. E. BUSH, 1701 S. Grand ave.

OAKLAND COUPE—HERE IS A SNAP. ELECtric lighted and starter; in good mechanical shape; needs paint, otherwise O.K. It will be sacrificed at once for $325. Worth much more. See it. 961 S. OLIVE. Bdwy. 5410. Open Sunday.

FOR SALE—1916 FORD TOURING CAR, SPECially built for the bus trade. Will sell very cheap for cash, or can make terms of $75 down. MORAN & McMENAMY, 1909 S. Main.

1915 BUICK C-25— 1915. 5-pass., just taken in trade and will sell very cheap if taken as is. THE WINTON CO., 1225 S. Flower.

FOR SALE—LOCOMOBILE "L" CHAIN DRIVE, four-passenger, in the very best of condition; this one of these very popular models; don't fail to see this as it will go at a big sacrifice. LOCOMOBILE CO., Pico at Figueroa, 10873, or Main 5068.

1916 OVERLAND ROADSTER— $175 down, balance of $300 at $30 per month; this is $100 under market value and a real bargain in perfect mechanical condition; will stand any kind of inspection. Phone 60695 or WEST 321. Apartment 201.

1913 LOCOMOBILE, FIVE-PASS. ELECTRIC lights and starter, car has been used in private family and is in excellent condition. Owner has bought Pierce-Arrow and left old car with me to sell. W. E. BUSH, 1701 S. Grand ave.

ROADSTER, STUDEBAKER SIX, SPECIAL BODY, large tank, trunk, spot light, wire wheels, Cord tires, bargain. THE WINTON CO., 1225 S. FLOWER.

WANTED— Touring cars and Roadsters. Sell you car for cash. 206-210 W. Pico st.

$200 WILL BUY YOU A FINE RUNNING CAR. Several to select from. THE WINTON CO., 1225 S. Flower.

1916 5-PASS. SAXON SIX, IN FINE CONDITION; leaving city; must sell at once; a bargain for some one; terms if wanted. Phone HOME F5334, BROADWAY 740.

DODGE TOURING FOR $650; OPEN TO CASH offer, generating system perfect, Eiseman magneto, $35 battery just installed; 6 tires and tubes; valves just ground; no trouble of any kind; motor silent. Ring 557327 for demonstration.

FORD— 1916 roadster, Atwater-Kent system, speedometer, etc. Terms to suit and guaranteed. MORAN & McMENAMY, 1909 S. Main.

YOU ARE SURE TO BE SATISFIED WITH THE class of painting and finishing of the SEUBERT-LOONEY AUTO WORKS. They have modern drying methods. 1320 S. Main. Phone Main 7662.

FOR SALE—CHALMERS. IT'S A BEAR TO strip, low racy type, only run 24,000 miles. New bearings and tires, $295 Monday. 935 S. MARIPOSA. 52355.

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LONDON, Dec. 10.—After nearly two years of silence regarding the situation in Afghanistan, where it was known that German agents had been active in the early days of the war, the British government has issued an account of the failure of the alleged German plan for a great Afghan uprising. The sponsors of the scheme, it is said, expected little difficulty in obtaining the assistance of the Ameer of Afghanistan, and planned that the uprising would spread quickly across the borders into India. The Ameer, however, dismissed the German emissaries, refusing to have anything to do with their plots or their offers.

The British government's account, as given in the House of Commons by Austen Chamberlain, Secretary of State for India, is as follows:

"In the spring of 1915 the German government decided to send a mission to Afghanistan. For this purpose they selected from among a number of Indian anarchists in Berlin a young landowner from Oudh, who posed to them as a ruling chief, and as such was received in audience before the Emperor.

"This person was accompanied by a party of German officers, some Turks, and another Indian anarchist, a Moslem. The principal German officer, Lieut. Von Hentig, was the bearer of a letter from the German Chancellor to the Ameer, in which the latter was invited to advise the pretended Rajah how best India might be liberated from British tyranny.

"Von Hentig was also charged to make important revelations to the Ameer, regarding the relations which the German government hoped would in future exist between Afghanistan, Germany, Austria-Hungary and Turkey.

"The mission broke up in Persia, and succeeded in making its way in small parties into Afghanistan in the late summer. They were arrested on arrival and eventually conveyed to Kabul towards the end of the year. There is reason to believe that the Ameer and his people quickly appraised these Germans and the Indian adventurers by whom they were accompanied at their true value.

"It is true that the intervention of Turkey under German influence created a complication, and placed his Majesty the Ameer in an exceedingly difficult position.

"But at the outbreak of the war His Majesty gave the Viceroy of India the most solemn assurances of his intention to preserve the neutrality of his country, and it is with great satisfaction that I acknowledge on behalf of His Majesty's government the loyalty of the Ameer to his pledged word—as sacred to the true Moslem as to ourselves.

"His Majesty has firmly refused the inducements—as seductive as they are unrealizable—held out to him to induce him to forsake his ally, and has used his influence to prevent disturbances on the frontier.

"The Ameer dismissed the mission in May last. It would not be in the public interest to state what has become of the various members; but some of them have been captured by the Russians and the British after leaving Afghanistan.

"The estates of the Indian landowner have been sequestrated by the government of India.

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A SOLDIERS' SOLDIER.

At the British Army Staff College, where officers learn organization, he was a marked man before he acted as Chief-of-Staff to Gen. French in South Africa, in the operations that made French's reputation. He was a soldiers' soldier who had won solid professional esteem though the public had hardly heard of this reserved, undemonstrative worker.

Of the men of command rank in the British army in August, 1914, he and Sir William Robertson—another studious man who had risen from the ranks and is now Chief-of-Staff in London—were the two who were appraised by the generation of officers, who had developed since South Africa, as having prepared themselves for the direction of large bodies of troops on the scale of continental warfare. They were not the magnetic, dashing leader type, but organizers.

Going out in command of the First Army of the British Expeditionary Force, Sir Douglas had seventeen months' experience, Mons, Ypres and Loos, of the warfare of the western front—which all agree is the toughest school any soldier has ever known. There was no doubt who commanded the First Army. It was Haig. He was no figure-head for the work of an able Chief-of-Staff. London gossip did not bandy his name about; he was not a personality to the public, though he was to the army. When anyone asked at the front who was the best man to take Sir John's place the answer was almost invariably: "Haig." He had not captured the army's imagination, but its reason. The tribute was one to brains.

The new army was arriving in great numbers from its English drill grounds when he took over command. His country expects him to make it an instrument which will execute a successful offensive on the western front, where the four months' efforts of the Germans at Verdun, the French effort in Champagne and the British effort at Neuve Chapelle and Loos, convince many military circles that the feat is impossible.

His first operation, carried out without a hitch and unknown to the Germans, was the taking over of the trenches occupied in the Arras sector by Gen. Petain's army, which was released for Verdun. This gave the British an intact front of about one hundred miles, and was decided upon by the allied commanders as wiser than a premature British offensive in the mire and bog of the flat country of Flanders and Northern France.

HAIG'S HEADQUARTERS.

A wisp of a flag and two sentries designate the entrance to the chateau, smaller than that ocupied by many divison generals, which is the headquarters of the commander-in-chief. Anyone who expects to be ushered into offices with aides running in and out of doors and telephone bells ringing will be disappointed. No place could be farther removed from the struggle of the trenches and yet in the army zone. The only occupants of the chateau beside Sir Douglas are his private secretary and his aides, who are "crocks," which is the army word for officers who have been wounded and are not fit for the physical exposure of the trenches. In other words, if a youngster wishes to become an aide he must have fought and then have the decision of a doctor that he cannot stand living in cellar-like "dugouts."

One of the aides receives the caller, and a minute later the man with iron-gray hair and moustache, sturdy, athletic of build, slightly above medium height, who comes into the hall, could not be mistaken whther in or out of uniform, for anything but a soldier, though something about the well-chiseled features also suggests the scholar. "Oxford and Sandhurst and India," said one of his admirers, "and hard work at a desk when he was not taking exercise in the open air best describe him."

In one of the rooms of the ground floor the walls are hung with maps, including a series which have been crowded on a roller. Any portion of the front in all its details may be referred to in a moment, In the center of the room a desk, and against the wall a table with some more maps and drawings and some of those strange photograhps from aeroplanes of grayish lines of trench systems in a dusky field of shell and mine craters, which make one think of the dead world of the moon. Out-of-doors a field of daisies, birds singing, a typical sunny day in Northern France.

VAST ARMY IN TRAINING.

From this retreat a vast army is being trained and its organization completed and directed in the day by day tug of war, for "the chief" commands an army still in the making. The staff already refers to him as "the chief." There is something impersonal about it and yet personal for he is absolutely the chief. There is no suggestion of any commision system in the command of the British army these days.

The man and his methods are as quiet as the room. With a battle-front which remains in the same place month after month the routine of his work has become almost as set as his habitation and not unlike that of the autocrat of some great business organization. The regular staff officers are in a town not far away. Subordinate chiefs of the different army branches, be it operations, intelligence, ordnance or supply, come to him in succession at hours set during the morning to make their reports and receive their instructions. They do most of the talking; and they learned how not to do more than is necessary. He listens, decides.

Like Gen. Joffre he sleeps long hours. A rested mind is a clear mind for great responsibilities. Like von Hindenberg, he never reads fiction. When reading has not to do with his profession it is of serious books and monthlies and quarterlies. Even during the battle of Ypres, when it was touch and go with disaster, he slept as soundly as Joffre during the battle of the Marne. At a crisis of the retreat from Mons he remarked as quietly as if he were giving a direction to an aide: "We shall have to hold on here for a while if we all die for it." There is never any fustian about these modern scientific soldier organizers. Again, during the retreat when a certain general became somewhat demoralized, Sir Douglas took him by the arm and walked up and down with him in silence until he was over his fit of nerves on that terrible August day. Those who work with him know that his sign of anger is a prolonged silence of a telling kind. He has a temper, but does not let it get past his lips, they say. He has, too, a keen sense of humor, with a Scotch flavor.

The impression he leaves on a caller is that of a leader without illusions; a soldier who sees with a soldier's logic; who is not afraid to be patient.

"In your Civil War," he said, "it was a case of raising armies of untrained men to fight armies of untrained men, while with us the small nucleus of regular officers who survived the retreat had to train even larger forces to meet a military machine which had had forty years of preparation. Not only man to man, but in organization must we make ourselves superior to our powerful enemy. The training of battalions and the manufacture of guns in England and their transfer to France represented only the first stage of real preparation for our task. Here they must be organized into divisions, corps and armies under the actual conditions of warfare before they could become worthily effective as a whole in anw decisive effort against a foe whose staff training, reinforced by experience in the field, must remain excellent, however exhausted he becomes. Every day he grows weaker and we grow stronger. Owing to the indomitable spirit of our officers and men in learning we are accomplishing what seemed the impossible to many soldiers at the outset of the war. Our cause gives us strength; for we are fighting for civilization. Those who have looked to us for victory will have their patience rewarded."

A lieutenant in the trenches knows as much of when the blow will strike as a corps commander of a staff department head. A quiet order from that quiet room and then the struggle, which by the token of the commander's strong chin and imperturbability he will carry through with unbending resolution and Scotch "canniness."

Being a good Scot he goes every Sunday morning to a little wooden Presbyterian chapel which has been erected on the outskirts of headquarters town where he sits in the company of Scottish officers and soldiers during a good Scotch sermon and a long one, too.

"FIRST FAMILIES."

Many New Yorkers are "Red Bloods" Instead of "Blue Bloods."

[New York Sun:] Many New Yorkers pride themselves on their family tree. They spend no little time and effort in tracing the growth from a tender shoot in Mayflower days to the noble proportions seen today. But such New Yorkers should remember that there are family trees that antedate their trees, that took root when the Mayflower landed, yes, long before Columbus sailed the western seas. The families that can boast of these trees are not "blue bloods," but "red bloods."

Originally there were five such families in New York State, and many members of these oldest of New York families are making good today. They are answering in the affirmative such questions as these—often put by the paleface: Will an Indian work? Are Indians contributing their share to the world's industries? Is it possible for a red man to measure to a white man's standard of efficiency?

Foremost among the "red bloods" are the Parkers, father and son. The names of Handsome Lake, the Seneca prophet; Jigonsaseh, the Peace Queen, who with Hiowentha and Dekanawida founded the Iroquois League, and Gen. Ely Parker, Grant's military secretary and co-worker with Lewis H. Morgan, all grace their family tree.

The lodge of the father, Frederick E. Parker, may be found at White Plains. There he has created an ideal home. A man of fine presence and attainment, he has been a factor making for clean government and social reform in his community. Mr. Parker is statistician in the department of revenue of the New York Central Railroad, having in charge all the offices between Chicago and New York, including more than 1000 agents.

Arthur C. Parker, the son, is the State archaeologist. Since his appointment to his present place in the New York State Museum he has practically created a new archaeological museum, bringing in some 50,000 specimens. His habitat groups illustrating Iroquois activities are said to be the finest in America. He has written four New York State bulletins and contributed many articles to preiodicals. He is the editor of the American Indian Magazine, a member of the American Ethnological and Sociological societies, the 1916 medalist of Chicago University for Indian research, and one of the ten American archaeologists appointed to the Pan-American scientific congress.

The Iroquois are natural mechanics.

There are many skilled machinists and telegraph operators of Iroquois blood. One Tuscarora is foreman of a large printing plant in Iowa and general secretary of the State Typographical Union. An Onondaga is chief engineer of the battleship New York. One of the finest types of the race is an expert motor assembler.

From the time the Iroquois raised their lodge poles in the primeval forest they have loved to build. Excellent carpenters are found on all reservations. A few are skilled in wood carving and decorative work. One Seneca has helped to build some of the homes on Fifth avenue and the Capitol at Washington. He is Albert Parker, a structural engineer.

An Unusual Burial Service.

[Philadelphia Public Ledger:] With all the solemn rites of the Reformed Church burial service, an empty coffin was interred at Schwenkville. Not only was no corpse in the casket, but not a bone or ounce of dust that had once been part of a human frame.

A man had been incinerated in a railroad wreck, but his family wished to have a regular funeral, including the usual coffin as well as a sermon by a well-known clergyman.

To make this strange occasion on the Perkiomen entirely realistic, the burial service was followed by one of those whales of funeral dinners for which the Pennsylvania Dutch are celebrated. Upward of 100 persons dined sumptuously at a hotel at the expense of the poor victim's widow.

In many rural places in Pennsylvania the funeral feast far surpasses the wedding feast. These immense dinners dwarf the high cost of living by the great cost of dying.

An Epidemic of Twins.

[New York Times:] "Every employee of the Bank of England," says an attache of the British Embassy at Washington, "is required to sign his name in a book on his arrival in the morning, and if late, must give the reason therefor. The chief cause of tardiness is usually fog, and the first man to arrive writes 'fog' opposite his name, and those who follow write 'ditto.' One day, however, the first late man gave as the reason, 'wife had twins,' and twenty other late men mechanically signed 'ditto' underneath."

Revenue.

BRITISH PUZZLE OVER NEXT TAX

How to Raise More Money is Financiers' Problem.

Revision is Suggested for the License Duties.

Real Estate Agents may Have to Pay Large Fee.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONDON, Dec. 10.—What can we tax next? is the question which financial advisers of the government are puzzling over as the time draws near for next year's budget. With the cost of the war steadily mounting, any proposal that bids fair to realize a few thousand pounds per year without injustice to individuals and without increased cost of collection is worth careful scrutiny. The new French tax on all who buy extravagant meals at cafes and restaurants is being favorably watched from the English side of the channel, and at the same time even the smallest existing items of public revenue are being examined to see if they can be made to yield more.

A writer in the Economist suggests a revision of the numerous license duties, other than liquor licenses. For example, a manufacturer of wood alcohol now pays an annual license of £10, 10s, while a manufacturer of petrol or gasoline only pays £1. "The number of firms involved is less than eighty," says the writer, "but it is believed that they could safely stand a considerable increase in charges. A similar increase is possible in the case of dealers in these commodities. Almost as much more could be obtained by increasing the licensing fees for selling patent medicines from 5s to £1. These licenses, moreover, are at present collected only in Great Britain, and could be extended without great injustice to Ireland as well.

AS TO DOG TAX.

"Is must be said," writes another tax expert, "that so small an annual duty as 5s ought never to have been imposed for any purpose. The cost of collecting such a sum once a year is altogether out of proportion to the revenue secured. Even the dog tax, which at the present rate of 7s. 6d ($1.35) yields nearly £750,000 yearly, could certainly be increased without appreciable hardship."

The present license fee charged for dealers in tobacco is 5s. 3d. per year. It is proposed to increase this to £1, representing an increase in revenue of nearly £300,000.

A doubling of license fees is recommended for real estate agents and dealers in gold and silver. The former now pay from £2 to £10, the latter from £3, 6s, to £5, 15s. An increase of about £60,000 a year in the treasury's receipts could be obtained by these increases.

Playing cards, which at present pay 3d a pack, may be expected to suffer an increase to perhaps 6d.

Other licenses which are likely to be increased are the duties on male servants, on carriages and motor cars, the gun licenses and the licenses in connection with the hunting or preservation of game. The tax on male servants may also be supplemented by a new tax on all households employing more than one female servant. The tax on male servants at present is 15s a year.

ON AUTOMOBILES.

A year ago the exchequer proposed the doubling of the taxes on automobiles, but this resulted in an altogether excessive increase in the duties of the higher powered cars, and the proposals were eventually withdrawn. Any new proposals which are submitted are likely to involve a more careful revision of the scale, graduating the rates so as to prevent such anomalies as a duty of £42 on a car of sixty-horse-power and £85 on a car of sixty-one-horse-power. In particular the duties on motor bicycles and small cars are likely to be radically raised, as it is claimed that these are the vehicles which are now uselessly consuming gasoline.

One of the more radical proposals for new taxation is that put forward a few days ago by Prof. A. C. Pigou of Kings College, Cambridge University. He urges that all persons who have been granted exemption from military service shall be subject to a special war tax, and that this tax shall be levied not merely on men of military age, but on all stay-at-homes, whether old or young.

HOLD THE SEA IN CHECK.

France Built Artificial Dunes Along a Three Hundred-mile Coast Line.

[The Argonaut:] How France subdued her shifting sand dunes is of a piece with Holland's conquering the sea. A hundred years ago France awoke to the hideous threat contained in the sands of the Bay of Biscay, covering a coast line of 300 miles. To such an extent were the sands being blown inland that the most fertile portion of the country was threatened. Finally, years later, came the idea of a great lateral dune along the entire coast as a means of checking the encroaching destroyer. So France set to work in earnest, and after fairly starting, found a willing helper in nature, which completed the task. The entire coast line was fringed by a fence consisting of posts driven into the ground at close intervals, and the spaces between them were interwoven with willow branches and brush. Soon the strong winds blowing in from the ocean banked a great wall against this fence and eventually it was entirely covered with sand. Then a second line of fence was erected on the small lateral dune thus created. In time this fence was covered by the sand which banked up against it. This operation was repeated many times, and then other means of increasing the size of the dune were used. Native grasses that thrive in sandy soil were planted along the top of the dune; this served to keep its height as uniform as possible by preventing the winds from carving indentations in the face of the pile. Pine-trees were planted along the top. These served to check the wind-blown sand as the fences had done in past years, and day by day the dune grew in height and widened out. As it increased in size more pine trees were planted. To-day a great forest 2,500,000 acres in extent fringes the coast line as the result of this initial experiment. It represents France's greatest supply-house of turpentine and lumber. The country lying inland from it is rich and fertile. The sand menace has disappeared, and it cannot return.

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

To Attend Premiere.

Elsberry W. Reynolds, the Chicago publisher, will motor over from his winter home at Relay Heights, Pomona, today, to entertain a dinner party at the Van Nuys and attend the premiere of "The Eyes of the World," of which he was the publisher in novel form.

Cold and Hunger.

FOOD VERY SHORT IN GERMAN EMPIRE.

ONE REASON FOR THE DRIVE UPON RUMANIA.

In Austria Things are Even Worse than in the Kaiser's Realm and the Cold Weather of Winter will Cause Most Intense Suffering Because of Lack of Fuel.

[Boston Transcript:] Correspondent at Budapest says the specter famine is brooding on the banks of the Danube. "No one is willing to accept appointment as food dictator, all the people Tisa appealed to declined to dictate with regard to food that has no existence. We now have eighteen tickets for food and necessaries. To get the goods by any of these tickets involves the loss of half a day's work!

"People here are sick and tired of grumbling about the prices of necessaries. Within the last month they have against risen from they have again risen from 50 to 100 per cent., but even the prices would not matter so much if only the food could be obtained. Budapest is like a town besieged, and we shall soon have to follow the example of the Parisians in 1870 and eat rats and mice. The principal trouble is that the Germans are taking away nearly everything, and what they generously leave is seized by the Austrians. Here is an example of the treatment Hungary receives, at the hands of her Allies: There is scarcely any soap at all in Hungary, and the Germans and Austrians are as badly off in this respect as we are. A small quantity, however, is imported from Holland and from the northern neutrals.

"The Pesti Naplo learns that the distribution of the imported soap among the three Allies is being made in this proportion: Germany gets 70 per cent., Austria 27½ per cent., and Hungary 2½ per cent. It is almost the same as regards Hungarian produce, for the Germans take the best part of it and leave our people to starve. The general depression on account of the distressing condition of affairs is very great, and the newspapers devote more than half of their entire space to what they call our food miseries. If one takes all these things into account, together with the facts that the military are being fed on half rations and that winter will inevitably bring with it a famine such as no imagination can picture, it is impossible not to forecast an early end of the war. The winter is the most dreaded word in this part of the world today, especially as there is no fuel and no hope of an improvement in this respect, for the railways are overburdened with the work of military transport and cannot possibly supply civilians with fuel. In a month's time things will look more gloomy, for the cold weather will set in, and the hunger from which the people are suffering today will be replaced by cold and hunger.

"In Austria the conditions are said to be even worse, for there the people have not only no vegetables, but in many places they are sometimes without bread for weeks, and the working classes, especially in Bohemia, are in a dangerous state of exasperation. Ten thousand munition workers, although under military control, struck work in Bohemia last week, and nothing could persuade them to work until two wagon loads of flour were distributed among them. Twenty of the leaders have been arrested, and have not been seen since. In Vienna a kilogram of meat costs from $4.50 to $5, and a cake of soap from 75 cents to $1. Washing soap costs $2 a kilogramme. The newspaper correspondents in Switzerland send us parcels of food and soap and such things every week, and are spending their time in supplying the staff of their newspapers with commodities instead of telegraphing news.

"Under such circumstances it need not surprise anybody that great things are expected of the concentration against Rumania, and that the chief hope that animates the authorities is that the campaign against that country will end in the seizure of the great quantities of foodstuffs which it possesses. There are some military critics who attribute the German strategy on the Transylvania front to this end, and argue that unless Germany and the monarchy can secure foodstuffs from somewhere within the next two or three months, and this somewhere can only be Rumania, the game will be up before the winter is over. The 'cannot starve us out' boast has become sufficiently transparent, and prominent politicians agree that first of all the starving out of the civilian population will become a reality, and then the starving out of the army will follow.

"Statisticians contend that the first two years of the war indicate that the producing power of the Central empires is far too short of their needs, in spite of the assistance derived from neutrals during that period. As the war goes on the food difficulties increase, and, sooner or later, internal troubles will be too intense to allow of the continuation of an external struggle. The stock of cattle as compared with prewar times has decreased 70 per cent., while the producing power of the land shows 40 per cent. decrease owing to the shortage of labor and materials. By organization, by resort to the ticket system, Germany has been just able to carry on up to the present, but no organization will help where there is nothing left to organize."

Boilers Need Another Gauge.

[Engineering Magazine:] From the standpoint of the plant owners whose money is being spent, the question of the true method of burning fuel economically probably is most vital, and yet, strange to say, it is one that remains most frequently unsolved. It is regarded as eminently proper to provide each boiled with a pressure gauge, so that the firemen may at any time know the exact boiler pressure; but it is not thought necessary to furnish them with a telltale to indicate the state of combustion. And as a result, the average boiler plant usually wastes from 5 to 25 per cent.—sometimes more—of its coal.

HALF INCH RAIN AT SANTA BARBARA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 31.—As a gentle reminder that the coming year would be the Southland's best and most abundant in the matter of crops, a quiet rain began falling early today and by afternoon the gauge measured .55 of an inch.

This makes a total for the month of December of 6.12 inches, and for the entire season—six months—of 11.05 inches. Some idea of how much the soil is soaked with rain can be gathered from the fact that for the same six months last year the fall was 4.78 inches, slightly over a third of this year's.

It is going to be a wet year.

FRUITS OF THE WAR.

Four Million Men Have Been Killed and Nine Million Wounded.

[Correspondence Boston Transcript:] "We Are All Fools." Indorsing Saxon motto, writes a German these seven days: "All together—Germany, her friends and enemies—we've spent cash over fifty billion dollars, destroyed property that has to be paid for to the extent of at least fifteen billion dollars. If we stopped fighting today Europe would have to pay in interest on war loans an annual tax of $2,750,000,000! To pay that there are already four million less men—dead men. Nine millions have been wounded, at the best four million of these will never be able to do a well man's work. Two million women and children have lost their bread winners in fighting; a minimum of a million men will return home barely able to do anything productive of a mark. If liberal pensions are to be given—and how are we to refuse?—there will not be enough money in Europe to pay them with. If we could stop today—we can't, it is a confession of inferiority we Germans will never make—that is all belligerents—we would save $5,000,000 in yearly interest on war debt each twenty-four hours. A man in belligerent nations earning $25 a week will have to pay $50 a year war tax, probably as long as he lives. If war continues another year he'll pay $75—for interest charges on war debts will increase to $4,000,000,000. As to money we Germans have a proverb, 'Papier ist geduldig' (paper is long-suffering.) We must alter it to 'Paper is an incurable disease.' Are we not all fools? What are we fighting for now—all of us—to kill 5000, to wound 11,000 men a day!"

BIG FINANCIAL LEAK.

Millions of Money Sent to Europe by Laborers of this Country.

[Salt Lake Tribune:] The claim is made by a close student of the immigration question that not less than $50,000,000 of the savings of immigrants are sent from the United States to Europe each month, and that the total amount of savings exported during the two years of the war is $1,200,000,000. The authority for these figures says that this result is due to the constant urging of the "omnipresent private banker, whose greatest profits lie in foreign exchange." This is not a condition peculiar to the war in Europe, for the savings of foreign laborers have been sent abroad for many years, although it may be said that in a large number of cases the money was used in buying tickets for members of families who were unable to reach the hospitable shores of this country.

Undoubtedly there is great destitution in many parts of Europe, and, in consequence, increasingly large amounts of money are being sent home by foreign laborers in the United States. Perhaps they should be commended rather than censured for providing for their destitute relatives, many of whom have been deprived of all other means of support. Nevertheless, the exportation of $50,000,000 each month is an enormous drain upon the resources of this country, and if it is to continue any length of time the balance of trade in our favor will not do us a great amount of good, for all the profits will be returned to Europe. We do not know of any cure.

Now, Who Killed Tecumseh?

[Ohio State Journal:] Gen. Cass thought he answered this question satisfactorily to himself and friends in a speech in the United States Senate in which, with all necessary formality, he settled the question in favor of Dick Johnson; but like the equally important question—who killed Cock Robin?—it won't stay settled and every little while receives a fresh answer. Col. Skinner, away down in Texas, now claims the honor of the deed. To a number who were given their guesses and surmises he said: "Gentlemen, I was at that battle where Tecumsey were killed—I was! I commanded a regiment there—I did! I'm not a'gwine to say who did kill Tecumsey—I won't; but this much I will say: Tecumsey was killed with one of my pistols; and, gentlemen, a man would not be very apt to lend out his pistols on a 'casion of that sort!"

Parting of the Ways.

[Chicago Tribune:] Our danger today is that we should miscall our weakness virtue. It is easy to shirk and call it unselfishness. We can make for our want of manly enterprise a pretentious mask of humanitarianism. But this will not change the fact of our condition. We are, indeed, at the parting of the ways. We must choose whether we are to be a nation of power, walking abroad in our strength, living to the full, or a nation that lives intensively, following the course of caution, always saving, not spending. The tremendous influence of women in America unquestionably is going to have a profound effect upon the course of the national destiny. But it is not necessary to conclude from this that our future is to be controlled by what we have called the feminine conception of life.

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(Advertising.)

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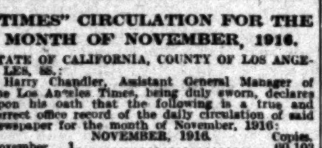

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Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of November, 1916:

NOVEMBER, 1916.

			Copies.
November	1		60,103
November	2		60,102
November	3		60,132
November	4		60,303
November	5	(Sunday)	104,020
November	6		60,300
November	7		60,400
November	8		73,917
November	9		71,404
November	10		64,639
November	11		62,696
November	12	(Sunday)	105,500
November	13		60,880
November	14		60,517
November	15		60,366
November	16		60,310
November	17		60,441
November	18		60,974
November	19	(Sunday)	104,540
November	20		60,380
November	21		60,430
November	22		60,524
November	23		60,557
November	24		60,652
November	25		62,414
November	26	(Sunday)	104,180
November	27		60,760
November	28		60,810
November	29		60,720
November	30		60,641

Average for every day of November.... 67,390
Sunday only, average for November.... 104,083

HARRY CHANDLER,
Assistant General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of December, 1916.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
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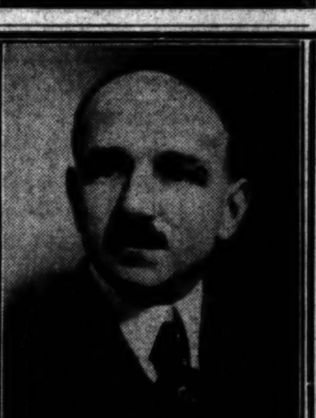

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THE WEATHER.
(Official Report.)

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 31.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.15; at 5 p.m., 30.14. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 44 deg. and 52 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 74 per cent.; 5 p.m., 83 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 6 miles. Highest temperature, 59 deg.; lowest, 42 deg. Rainfall for season, 7.24 inches; last season, 3.48 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

LOCAL FORECAST.—Monday generally unsettled weather.

ORCHARD REPORTS. — Minimum temperatures for the past twenty-four hours were: Lindsay, 38; Bakersfield, 32.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Weather forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity, Sacramento Valley, Santa Clara Valley and San Joaquin Valley: Generally unsettled weather Monday; light easterly wind.

Southern California: Generally unsettled weather Monday, with freezing temperatures in the early morning; light northeasterly wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Forecast for Arizona: Monday and Tuesday generally fair; not much change in temperature.

VITAL RECORD.

DEATHS.
With Funeral Announcements.

BARKLEY. At No. 757 East Twenty-third street, December 30, Daniel Barkley, aged 62 years, beloved father of Mrs. Edith Lee, Mrs. Hazel Sweeten and Chester Barkley.
Funeral from the Haven M. E. Church, Twenty-seventh and Paloma streets, Tuesday, January 2, at 2 p.m. Pierce Bros. & Co., directors.

BEARDSLEE. At No. 603 North Avenue 64, Edward A. Beardslee, aged 71 years.
Funeral services at the chapel of Arthur E. Cresse, Tuesday, 2:15 p.m.

CAMPBELL. December 30, 1916, Kathleen J. Campbell, widow of the late Dr. George W. Campbell, aged 55 years.
The funeral services will be held at the family residence, No. 119 South Boyle avenue, Tuesday at 2:30. Bresee Brothers, directors.

CLARKE. At No. 2011 Eighth avenue, December 30, 1916, Dr. Elmer A. Clarke, beloved husband of Lou Conant Clarke, and uncle of Mrs. Wesley Roberts.
Funeral services at the family residence, Tuesday at 2 o'clock. Bresee Brothers, directors.

COOPER. William Lawrence, aged 65 years, died from injuries received at the Big Pine mining district, December 24; leaves a widow and son, Walter, of No. 334 North Burlington avenue.
Funeral services will be held Tuesday, January 2, at 2 p.m. from the Draper & Dellenbaugh parlors, No. 1125 South Grand avenue. In charge of the Masons. Interment, Inglewood, by car.

CRONIN. December 31, Thomas F. Cronin, aged 53 years.
Funeral Tuesday, January 2, at 9:30 a.m., from the parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor, No. 1031 South Grand avenue. Requiem mass at St. Vibiana's Cathedral at 10 a.m. Interment, Calvary.

EMERSON. December 30, May E., dearly beloved wife of Charlie E. Emerson, aged 38 years.
Funeral 10 a.m. Wednesday from the new chapel of J. H. Riedeman, No. 1618 South Main. Interment, Inglewood Park.

FRIEDRICH. At No. 1267 Elysian Park avenue, December 30, Mrs. M. Evelyn Friedrich, aged 50 years, beloved wife of Mr. Edward J. Friedrich of this city, and daughter of Mrs. Susie Bowers and sister of George, John and Joseph Smith and Mrs. J. S. Baugh, all of this city.
Funeral Thursday, January 4, at 10 a.m., from the funeral parlors of W. A. Brown, No. 1335 South Flower. Friends invited.

HALLERON. December 31, Ralph Halleron, aged 72 years.
Remains at the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor. Interment, Oakland, Cal.

HATTON. Laura T., December 29.
Funeral 10 a.m. Monday from Grace Evangelical Church on Melrose avenue. J. H. Riedeman, No. 1618 South Main, in charge.

HIGGINS. At No. 2115 Westview, December 29, Laura, wife of John E. Higgins, aged 78 years.
Funeral services at the chapel of Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa, Tuesday at 10:30 a.m.

LEIHY. At No. 4173 Normandie avenue, George W. Leihy, Sr., beloved husband of Adda, loving father of Morgan P. Leihy of Kansas City, Mo., George W. Leihy, Jr., Mrs. Lucy Hensill, Ruth Leihy, all of Los Angeles.
Funeral from chapel of E. E. Overholtzer-Sons Co., Tuesday, January 2, at 11 a.m. (Chicago papers please copy.)

LEWIS. December 31, Clara Lewis.
Funeral Tuesday at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Garrett & Company, No. 1237 South Flower street.

MacDONALD. At Harper, Wash., December 20, John MacDonald.
Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., Tuesday, January 2, at 3 p.m., under the auspices of General Relief Committee, I.O.O.F.

MAXWELL. In this city, December 31, George Ernest Maxwell, aged 55 years, a native of California, brother of James G., Walter F., and A. L. Maxwell, Mrs. A. M. White and Mrs. F. M. Cassiday.
Remains at the parlors of the Connell Company, No. 1051 South Grand avenue. Funeral notice later.

PAYNTER. December 30, Reese Paynter, aged 66 years, brother of the late John W. Paynter and Mrs. H. C. Thomas of this city.
Funeral Wednesday, January 3, at 10 a.m., from the funeral parlors of W. A. Brown, No. 1335 South Flower street.

PFEFFERLING. W. M.
Remains at the chapel of W. H. Sutch Company, No. 842 South Figueroa street.

SARCHIN. At No. 508 Carolina street, December 29, Dorothy June, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sarchin, aged 5 months.
Funeral services at the chapel of Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa, Monday at 9:30 a.m.

SOLOMON. At the residence of her son, No. 1027 Valencia street, December 31, Mrs. Julia Solomon, aged 72 years, beloved wife of William Solomon of Otterbein, Ind., and mother of Elmer Solomon of this city.
Remains at parlors of W. A. Brown. Interment, Otterbein, Ind. (Lafayette, Ind., papers please copy.)

TAYLOR. George, December 30, aged 76 years.
Funeral 2 p.m. Tuesday from the new chapel of J. H. Riedeman, No. 1618 South Main.

THORNBURG. At No. 6315 Crescent street, Mrs. Mable Miller Thornburg, aged 24 years, loving wife of C. F. Thornburg and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Miller.
Services at funeral chapel of Arthur E. Cresse, No. 5860 Pasadena avenue, Tuesday, 10:30 a.m. Interment, Forest Lawn Cemetery.

WALKER. Died at Ventura, Cal., December 30, 1916, Lewis Walker, aged 71 years, a native of Romeo, Mich., brother of Adelaide W. Gorrill of Oakland, Cal., and of Dewitt Walker of Capac, Mich.
Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral at Reardon's Funeral Parlors, Ventura, at 2 o'clock p.m. Monday, January 1, 1917.

WILLIAMS. At his late residence, No. 1021 Georgia street, this city, December 30, 1916, Frank L. Williams, aged 63 years, beloved husband of Alice E. Williams and father of Mrs. Harry O'Brien.
Funeral services will be held Tuesday, January 2, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a.m., at the residence establishment of Booth & Boylson Co., No. 1147 South Flower street. Friends invited. (Denver papers please copy.)

WILSON. At his residence, December 29, 1916, R. B. Wilson, born in Washington, Iowa, December 31, 1866, beloved husband of Hattie Wilson and father of Mrs. Leslie Dobel of Sydney, Australia, W. Briggs Wilson and Harriet Wilson.
Funeral from Dexter Samson parlors Tuesday, January 2, 1917. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

Darling's Shop.
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LODGE FUNERAL NOTICE.

The members of Admiral Robley D. Evans Relief Corps, No. 120, are requested to attend in full uniform the funeral of their sister member, Antoinette A. Putman at Pierce Bros., Tuesday morning at 10:30.

[Signed] MINNIE P. GIBSON, President.
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Making the Sea Give Up Its Ships.

[Omaha Bee:] More or less melancholy interest always attaches to a sunken ship, springing from both practical and sentimental causes. This interest will add zest to the recital of a Brazilian inventor's achievement. His plan for raising sunken vessels, explained a few weeks ago to the Engineers' Club at Rio de Janeiro, is simplicity itself. Any depth of water in which divers can work is within the scope of the plan, which is to attach bags of various shapes to the wreck, both within and without, and then inflate them with air from above. The expanding bags expel the water from the vessel and by its own buoyancy it rises. Experiments with the invention are reported to have been very successful. The British Channel will afford a splendid field for its operation after the war, and such victims of the U-boats as have not been shattered beyond repair may be restored to the fleets of the world.

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, DEC. 31.

Steamer Yale, Capt. Bartlett, from San Francisco.
Steamer Norwood, Capt. Knight, from Portland.
Power schooner San Diego, from San Blas.

SAILED—SUNDAY, DEC. 31.

Steamer Yale, Capt. Bartlett, for San Diego.
Steamer Daisy Freeman, Capt. Smith, for Redondo Beach.
Steamer Nome City, Capt. Schage, for San Diego.
Steamer Shasta, Capt. Langkelde, for Bellingham.
Steamer Golden Gate, Capt. Bergmark, for La Paz.
Steamer Umatilla, Capt. Guptil, for Seattle, via San Francisco.
Steamer Saginaw, Capt. Hubannette, for San Diego.
Steamer Noyo, Capt. Jacobsen, for Fort Bragg.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

All steamers call at San Francisco to and from ports further north.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Steamer.	Line.	Time.
Jan. 1	San Diego, Yale	Pacific	1:00 p.m.
Jan. 2	Seattle, President	Pacific	4:00 p.m.
Jan. 3	S. Francisco, Harvard	Pacific	10:30 a.m.
Jan. 4	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	10:30 a.m.
Jan. 4	San Diego, President	Pacific	6:00 a.m.
Jan. 4	Portland, Beaver	S. F. & P.	12:00 m.
Jan. 5	S. Francisco, Harvard	Pacific	10:30 a.m.
Jan. 5	S. Fran., G. Northern	G.N.P.	9:00 a.m.
Jan. 6	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific	1:00 p.m.
Jan. 6	Seattle, Queen	Pacific	7:00 p.m.
Jan. 7	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	10:30 a.m.

TO DEPART.

Date.	For—Steamer.	Line.	Time.
Jan. 1	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Jan. 3	S. Francisco, Harvard	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Jan. 4	Seattle, President	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Jan. 5	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Jan. 5	Honolulu, G. Northern	G.N.P.	5:00 p.m.
Jan. 6	S. Francisco, Harvard	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Jan. 6	Portland, Beaver	S. F. & P.	12:00 m.
Jan. 7	San Diego, Yale	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Jan. 7	Seattle, Queen	Pacific	3:00 p.m.

LOCAL CARRIERS.

Steamer for Catalina Island leaves San Pedro at 10 a.m. Returning leaves Avalon at 3:15 p.m., arriving at San Pedro at 5:45 p.m.

Launches for Long Beach leave foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, hourly from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, and until 7 p.m. Sundays. East San Pedro ferry every ten minutes from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro. Terminal Island ferry from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, every half hour.

IN PORT.

U.S.S. Oregon, outer harbor.
U. S. destroyer Farragut, Banning wharf.
U. S. submarines H-1 and H-2, Banning wharf.
Steamer Alcatraz, inner harbor.
Steamer Noyo, S. P. wharf.
Steamer Gray's Harbor, H. L. Co.
Steamer Saginaw, O. H. D. & W. Co.

COASTWISE CARGO CARRIERS.

Steamer Mandalay, Crescent City, loading.
Steamer J. B. Stetson, Gray's Harbor, sailed Dec. 27.
Steamer Avalon, Gray's Harbor, sailed Dec. 25.
Steamer Celilo, Puget Sound, loading.
Steamer Harwood, Willapa, sailed Dec. 28.
Steamer Wapama, Portland, sailed Dec. 28.
Steamer Solano, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer A. M. Simpson, Coos Bay, sailed Dec. 29.
Steamer Norwood, Portland, sailed Dec. 27.
Steamer Bee, Puget Sound, sailed Dec. 28.
Steamer San Jacinto, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Thomas L. Wand, Eagle Harbor, loading.
Steamer Daisy Mathews, Portland, loading.
Steamer Westport, Eureka, loading.
Steamer Doris, Gray's Harbor, loading.

TO AND FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

Steamer La Brea, Taltal, sailed Dec. 7.
Steamer George W. Elder, Punta Arenas, via Salina Cruz, sailed Dec. 26.
Japanese steamer Kiyo Maru, Hongkong, for South American ports, loading.
British steamer Sculptor, London, loading.
British steamer Ormiston, London, sailed Dec. 16.
Steamer Fakhaven, Salina Cruz, sailed Dec. 16.
Steamer South Coast, San Francisco, for Mexican ports, loading.
Steamer San Pedro, Mazatlan, loading.

TIDE TABLE.

Monday, Jan. 1	3:51	11:20	4:45	9:59
	5.6	1.4	3.4	1.9
Tuesday, " 2	4:47	12:27	6:21	11:38
	5.8	0.8	3.4	2.4
Wednesday, " 3	5:38	1:20	7:33	....
	6.0	0.3	3.6	....
Thursday, " 4	12:08	6:25	2:08	8:21
	2.6	6.2	0.5	3.8
Friday, " 5	12:53	7:08	2:50	8:56
	2.7	6.3	0.7	4.0
Saturday, " 6	1:34	7:45	3:12	9:25
	2.7	6.8	0.8	4.0

PORT NOTES.

The steamer Norwood arrived today from Portland with 1000 tons of wheat for the Globe Milling Company.

The power schooner San Diego arrived today from San Blas with a cargo of Mexican products, mostly bananas and hides. The steamer Golden Gate sailed for La Paz with a cargo of general merchandise for J. B. Frankel.

The steamers Saginaw and Nome City sailed for San Diego today with balance of lumber cargoes loaded on Puget Sound. The Daisy Freeman sailed for Redondo Beach with balance of cargo loaded at Portland. The Shasta for Bellingham and Noyo for Fort Bragg, sailed in ballast to reload.

Two steamers of the Admiral line were included in the movements today. The Yale arrived from San Francisco and proceeded to San Diego. The Umatilla, which with the Queen will hereafter alternate in place of the Admiral Schley and Admiral Dewey, sailed on the return trip to Puget Sound.

NORTHERN SHIPPING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Arrived: Steamers Klamath, Oregon, Rose City, San Pedro; Harvard, San Diego; San Joaquin, Balboa.

Sailed: Steamer Northwestern, J. B. Stetson, Mandalay, San Pedro; motorship Jutland (Nor.) Antofagasta; Tokiwa Maru, Vladivostok.

NOISY STREETS.

Improvement in Cities Must be had by Paying Attention to Pavements.

[Indianapolis News:] The abatement of unnecessary noises is becoming each year a more serious problem in great cities. There has been an extension of quiet zones in the neighborhood of churches, hospitals and schools, but even with these busy cities, whose pavements and traffic combine in the production of noise, find further relief important. New York, with the more general use of the motor car, is much noisier than it was in the earlier days of heavy horse-drawn trucks. This has caused a controversy as to which causes the more noise—the horse truck or the motor car. Investigators appear to agree that it is the former.

Francis M. Hugo, Secretary of State of New York, believes that cities can only hope to become quieter by paying more attention to the improvement of streets. Perfectly-laid wood pavements, he says, produce the least noise, with smooth new asphalt next; roads made of hard stone or slag and covered with bituminous material are not far behind. Toward the other end of the scale must be placed inferior macadam, full of holes and bumps, while the noisiest of all is probably the poorly-laid stone block. Mr. Hugo does not classify the concrete road, but it probably would be entitled to a place close to good macadam. The noise-producing road is not necessarily the hard surfaced road, but the one which is full of bumps and ruts.

This may explain the increasing noise in Indianapolis streets. There are hundreds of automobiles now where there were dozens a few years ago. This expansion, in a way, should reduce city noises, if the theory is correct, for many horse-drawn trucks have been displaced by motors. But no vehicle can be noiseless when passing over a rough street. Streets in bad repair cost cities thousands of dollars each year in damage to vehicles, and at the same time the people are irritated and annoyed by the noise. Indianapolis has comparatively few brick streets, and very little stone block pavement. Yet in some of our streets is much noise. The street cars add to it.

Red-headed Girls Brightest.

[Baltimore Star:] The secretary of the Baltimore office of the women and girls' division of the United States Employment Service relates the following incident:

"A man came in here and demanded that we secure for him at once a 'red-haired office assistant.' Of course we in our turn demanded his reasons for so extraordinary and, from our standpoint, so unbusinesslike a request. His answer proved that the requirement was not so superficial as it might seem. Our applicant declared himself to be a student of character. He had studied hundreds of women, he assured us, and he found that those of Titian locks invariably adapted themselves more readily and with greater facility to the requirements of his business. Brunettes and blondes, he said, might be more stable and reliable in the end, for quickness of perception and judgment he needed the services of a girl with auburn hair."

Santa Monica.

MISSING BOAT LANDS IN PO[RT]

Thrilling Experience of [Rus]sian Fishing Crew.

Storm Breaks Upon [Them] Near Santa Cruz Isl[and].

Nearly Starved on [L]... Island in Pacific.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 31.—... ing a thrilling story of ... and suffering because of ... provisions and fresh wa[ter] ... Alexis Budinoff and his ... three men put into port th[is] ... at the Japanese fishing vil[lage] ... ing first been sighted ear[ly] ... morning and towed in by a ... party.

His hands clasped to the ... of the little twenty-h[orse] ... launch, the captain had b... rivited on Long Wharf, b... the rescue launch drew alo[ngside] ... threw him a rope, he w... to grasp it because his ... become so benumbed by the ... cold and exposure to a ... and storm. Two of the ... lying in the bottom of the ... numbed and one man w... trying to assist the capt[ain].

The crew left the Jap[anese vil]lage nine days ago, planni[ng] ... turning in time for Christ[mas] ... they reached one of the ... the Santa Cruz group, the ... last Saturday and Christ[mas] ... broke. They put in at a ... protected from the wind ... on the beach. One man ... to have a gun, and when ... sions ran low, was able ... ficient food for the four ... game. When the supply ... water ran out it was ne... them to drink a brack[ish] ... water which, they said, ... quench their thirst but ... them demented.

Friday the captain and ... realized that it was a ... weathering a rising storm ... ing a run for the calmer ... Santa Monica Bay, or to ... the little island and starve.

At the same time ... were made to start a ... in a larger launch from ... anese village. This par[ty] ... have started out this mor[ning] ... the little launch hove in... the horizon and three boa[ts] ...

On account of the benu[mbed con]dition of the crew, it wa... for the other launch to ... side and for another fis[herman to] drop into the smaller boa[t and take] the wheel.

The boat was then tow... when the beach was rea[ched the] men's wives and children ... practically given them u... greeted them affectiona[tely]. ... men were all Russians. ... rescuers made ready to ... morning, there was little ... pressed that they would ... missing fishermen.

Whittier.

GOOD GROWT[H]

Paving Bug Strikes the C[ity as] a Result the Improve[ments of] the Past Year has ... Quite Heavy—Comm[u]nity is Prosperous.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

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Thrilling Experience of I sian Fishing Crew.

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[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 31.—ing a thrilling story of privi and suffering because of last provisions and fresh water, Alexis Budinoff and his crew three men put into port this m at the Japanese fishing village, ing first been sighted early i morning and towed in by a p party.

His hands clasped to the of the little twenty-horse launch, the captain had h rivited on Long Wharf, but the rescue launch drew alongs threw him a rope, he was to grasp it because his hand became so benumbed by the cold and exposure to a heavy and storm. Two of the men lying in the bottom of the boat numbed and one man was trying to assist the captain.

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On account of the benumb condition of the crew, it was for the other launch to draw side and for another fisherman drop into the smaller boat and the wheel.

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Two and One-half Million Dollars to be Spent by Local Road.

Ninety-five thousand tons of steel rails, to cost approximately $2,500,000, have been ordered by the Santa Fe for 1918 delivery, it was announced here yesterday. About two-thirds of the contract went to the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, and the balance to the Illinois Steel Company.

This order was placed by the Santa Fe, it is stated, in accordance with its policy of buying against assured demand. Most of these rails will be used, it is further stated, in carrying forward betterments on main line mileage, and in second track work.

Legatee.

EX-SAILOR HUNTED.

Brother in Tennessee Now Holding Share of Mother's Estate for Former Tar in the Navy, Whom Police Cannot Discover Here.

James Alton Childers, late of the United States Navy, is sought here that he may claim his share of an estate now being held for him by his brother, H. J. Childers, No. 242 North Third street, Memphis, Tenn.

In a letter addressed to the police, the brother says James A. Childers was mustered out of the navy at San Diego, January 1, 1915. He is six feet tall, has red hair and is about 28 years old.

The police have been unable to find him.

FOR MINING ENGINEER.

Funeral Services for Man Killed at Big Pine are Arranged.

Funeral services for William Lawrence Cooper, well-known mining engineer of this city, who was fatally injured at Big Pine, Inyo county, December 24, will be conducted at the chapel of Draper & Dellenbaugh, under the auspices of the Masons, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment will be at Inglewood.

Mr. Cooper was 65 years of age, and had been a resident of Los Angeles for several years. He leaves the widow, Mrs. William L. Cooper, and a son, Walter, both of No. 334 North Burlington avenue.

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Where East Will Meet West, Figuratively and Actually.

A foretaste of what's on the bill-of-fare at Pasadena today,

Where the Tournament of Roses Association will stage another classic New Year's festival, including a floral parade, football game between the University of Pennsylvania and the University of Oregon, and a ball in the palmroom of the Hotel Maryland, in the evening.

Classic.

EXPECT TENS OF THOUSANDS AT PASADENA ROSE TOURNEY.

TODAY'S PROGRAMME.

At 10:30 a.m.—Rose pageant starts east on Colorado street from Orange Grove avenue.

At 2:15 p.m. — Football game between the University of Pennsylvania and the University of Oregon at Tournament Park.

At 9 p.m.—Tournament ball at Hotel Maryland with the football players as the guests of honor.

The pageant, which is the first of the three features of the Tournament of Roses in Pasadena today, will start at 10:30 o'clock this morning from Orange Grove avenue and Colorado street, going east on the latter thoroughfare and winding about the downtown streets and ending about 1 p.m. at Tournament Park.

Colorado street and the rest of the downtown district, between Pasadena avenue and Los Robles avenue, will be roped off and not open to traffic after 10 o'clock this morning. Pacific Electric short line cars, however, will run on Fair Oaks avenue until the parade reaches Colorado street.

Chief McIntyre and his police force will have the assistance of 100 special policemen from Los Angeles to control the traffic situation during the three busy hours that the parade is in progress. The Chief made the announcement yesterday that persons living along the line of march, and having visiting friends, may, by special arrangement, obtain permission for them to pass through the lines.

Intense interest centers about the football game between the eastern and western teams, which will begin at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon at Tournament Park. Friends of the visiting teams have made special arrangements with the telegraph companies to have the game play by play flashed to the East. Practically every change of position on the field will be known in the East immediately after it is made. The manager of a local branch telegraph office stated yesterday that never before in the history of the office had such complete arrangements been made for informing the outside world of happenings in Pasadena.

The extremely heavy advance sale of tickets indicates that the grand stand, with a seating capacity of 22,500, will be filled to capacity. Six thousand seats are held for those who cannot make reservations. There will be no standing room in the park, and no automobile parking space near enough to the gridiron to see the game from the machines.

MANY LATE ENTRIES.

Entries continued to be made for the parade up to the last minute. Private equippages, saddle horses, automobiles, pony cars and floats will be seen in increased numbers this year. After having announced that she would not make an entry, Mrs. Anita Baldwin arranged to enter several thoroughbred horses from Santa Anita Rancho. Two years ago a floral peacock, entered by Mrs. Baldwin, was winner of first prize.

Children of Pasadena are eager to ride in the floats and decorated vehicles making up the pageant. I. Owen Thompson, owner of a pair of Shetland ponies, advertised for sev-

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Burlesque.

MAKES COMEDY OF HIS CRIME.

Young Bandit Gives Himself up Melodramatically.

Prefers Prison to Any Place Beyond Limelight.

Confesses Bad-check Career; Splurged at Hotels.

Many persons have made a crime of vaudeville, but young Kenyon G. Peterson has made vaudeville a crime. He swaggered into the Police Station early yesterday morning, tossed a loaded automatic revolver on the table in the detectives' office—to the consternation, it may be said, of the detectives—shrugged his shoulders and said: "Well, boys, I'm off crime till I learn more about it. I stuck up two places in Chicago, spattered bad checks all the way West, and now I want to go to the pen in hopes I'll find somebody who will teach me how to be a real crook."

And his story is true. November 24 he walked into a railroad station in Ravenswood, a suburb of Chicago, held up the agent, robbed him of $40, tied him with a chloroform gag, and escaped.

Four days later he walked into a restaurant run by a Chinaman and with his mask and his gun terrorized the patrons and tapped the cash register.

Sincerely and frankly, to this strange young man, they are the two merriest incidents in his life. He robbed the station agent because the latter was a nervous man and he thought the agent would act "funny" during a hold-up. And he cannot restrain his merriment when he tells of it.

ALSO REVENGE.

As to the Chinaman, the hold-up was a reflection of vengeance. Once the Chinaman had put the boy out of his restaurant when the latter had too much buoyancy and too little money.

Kenyon Peterson is 21 years old, an unusually good looking lad, with a constant blush in his cheeks.

He has always been the bad boy in his family. His father, he says, is F. W. Peterson, manager of the service department of the Oxweld Railroad Service Company, and lives at No. 4245 North Ashland avenue, Chicago. One of his brothers, he says, is L. M. Peterson, assistant to the vice-president of Butler Brothers, a large wholesale company of Chicago. Another is employed by the Marshall Field Company.

His weakness is the amazing vanity of the boy. Always he has desired above all things to be conspicuous, and because he had no talents to make himself so legitimately, he became the bad boy in his home, neighborhood and school. To be pointed out as a bad boy was flattery dear to his heart.

SCHOOL ESCAPADE.

His father sent him to business college and he learned book-keeping, but that was drudgery abominable. His workmates had little idea of the dramatic and they found nothing exciting about Kenyon G. Peterson, so he threw an inkwell at his boss and walked out, finally to be talked about.

The cabaret answered his yearning for conspicuousness. He could sing a little and dance a little, but others were better. His instincts to strut are astounding, almost tragic. Never has a prisoner appeared at the Police Station who craved the spotlight as this boy. When he came West, he thought he would work in moving pictures.

To the police and those who talked with him, he talked about giving himself up because he could not earn $100a by crime. He never spent that much in a month in his life, nor saw anyone else spend it. Merely is sounded big, and is the mental chaff of his pose.

HIS TRIP WEST.

His way West was littered with bad checks. He imposed upon the good name of his industrious father and thought it was an expression of his cleverness.

After going from Chicago to Tacoma he came down the coast and finally went to San Diego, where he splurged at the Hotel Coronado, jumping out with a hotel bill unpaid. He came here and stopped at the Hotel Harvard. Saturday night the clerk demanded payment of the hotel bill. Peterson had nothing. So they locked the door of his room and he went straight to the Police Station.

The Chicago police have confirmed his story of crime. The boy says he is anxious to go back. When he gets there, perhaps the alienists will be busier than the detectives.

WHISKY AND "DROPS."

Arrested Pair Must Explain this Baleful Association.

Whether men can be inspired only by charity when they have a flask of whisky and a bottle of "knock-out" drops in their pockets and try to induce a stranger to accompany them to a room is a question the police judge must answer when B. Sullivan and B. F. Gibson appear for trial Tuesday.

Detectives Canto and Cowen saw the pair trying to take a stranger into a rooming-house. Their efforts were so eager the detectives interfered. At the Police Station a search produced the whisky and the drug. The doctors at the Receiving Hospital described the drug as "knock-out" drops, containing chloral.

Godspeed,

REQUIEM FOR OLD; WELCOME FOR NEW.

"LID" SLIGHTLY TILTED BY MERRY REVELERS.

Many Thousands Participate, in Diverse Ways, in New Year's Celebration—Watch Services in the Churches Draw Devout Crowds—Cabarets Attract.

BY HARVEY E. WESTGATE.

Last night as I sat by the blazing hearth,
With a calendar old and worn;
With its corners thumbed by daily use,
With its pages soiled and torn,
I looked it through, from first to last,
And scanned the bygone days,
And the "last review" brought smiles and tears,
'Ere I cast it in the blaze.

The flames increased as the "Old Year" burned,
As the "record" passed away,
But by their light I read once more,
In the calendar of today;
In the record of the coming year,
Each page unsoiled and white,
And I hung it on the selfsame hook,
Where the old one hung last night.

All of Los Angeles sat up last night to welcome in the new year and with proper ceremony issue out the old. All of the residents of the city, each according to his or her temperament, partook of the revelry or with solemn and religious rites followed the old year out. Just at midnight the bells of the city clanged in unison and from thousands of throats there poured forth a welcome.

The "lid" was slightly tilted in the cafes and restaurants where liquor was sold. Wine, women and song added zest to the occasion and the New Year was hilariously ushered in, while toasts were drank to departing 1916. In the churches and in thousands of homes there was also song, but the song was of a religious nature. Many churches held "watch meetings," where with prayer and exorations the new year was begun.

Every theater in the city was crowded to the doors by men and women on pleasure bent. When the lights were extinguished and the crowds began to pour into the streets, the cafe life began. Unless one had engaged seats long in advance it was impossible to find accommodation. The theater crowd, armed with horns, confetti and fantastic headgear, sang popular airs in all the cafes where an orchestra held forth. Wine was poured out by the hundreds of bottles and by midnight the fete was in full swing.

While the Mayor and the Chief

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Mountain News.

RELIEF PARTY RESCUES SNOWBOUND MOTORISTS.

THE Cadillac relief expedition to the snowbound motorist on the Ridge Route has accomplished the feat of working its way through to Bakersfield and return, and has rescued seven stranded cars from the snowdrifts in the vicinity of the summit. Members of the party returned to Los Angeles.

The first relief car, a heady Cadillac, started from Los Angeles Friday noon, and plowed its way through as far as the summit by 10 o'clock that night. On Saturday it pushed on to Lebec and then through to Bakersfield. The road was broken out and cleared, and the seven stalled cars that were found were pulled out.

At the hotel at Summit, motorists from all along the route in that vicinity wandered in, after they found it was useless to try to negotiate the snowdrifts with the autos. They kept coming by ones and twos and threes and fours, until the little rooms at the Summit were packed. The men took turns keeping up the fire, and the crowd continued to swell until there was scarcely room to shelter the snowbound party. Lying down to sleep was out of the question. The men sat up or stood up, and shifted about for change and rest. Some of the party walked fully ten miles to reach this shelter and were glad to accept "standing room only."

There are several cars yet stranded in the snow in the mountain region, but these probably will be gotten out today. Several of these are near Saugus. It is reported that the road will be fully opened and in a practically normal condition tomorrow.

An Appreciation

To the thousands of friends and customers, whose patronage and kindly words have indorsed our business methods, we too extend our sincere thanks.

Our business for Nineteen Sixteen, we are happy to say, was the largest in volume of any year since the inception of our company in 1880.

The same liberal policies will be pursued during the New Year. Old friends and new are assured of the same courteous treatment as in the past, and a sincere desire on our part to render a genuine service to all.

We Wish You a Happy and Prosperous New Year

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Maritime.

CITY-OWNED SHIPS URGED.

Vast Commerce to the South Needs Transportation.

Merchants, Manufacturers and Bankers Favor Plan.

Would Have Good Effect on Industrial Enterprises.

Los Angeles is to have a fleet of municipally-owned ships, operated on a non-profit basis, for the purpose of encouraging merchants, manufacturers and jobbers of this city to go after the trade of Latin America, if the plans being formulated by F. P. Gregson, manager of the traffic bureau of the Associated Jobbers of Los Angeles, and a group of prominent wholesalers and bankers of this city, are carried out.

That trade follows transportation is one of the truisms of commerce and economics. It has been well exemplified by Great Britain, Germany and France in the years that they were building up the vast volume of foreign commerce that has placed them in the commanding positions in world trade held before the outbreak of the European war.

DAYS THAT WERE.

In the early colonial days, when the bold Yankee skipper outfitted a ship for some far-off land, he did so with the hope of finding someone with whom he could trade the cargo he carried for a return cargo of the products of that little-known region. It was thus that the hardy New England seamen, who swept the seven seas in search of new lands and people to buy their salt fish, rum and other articles, built up a trade in coffee, spices, tea and other oriental products that for years kept thousands of ships plying the great water trade routes of the world.

Los Angeles today is in a peculiar position, Mr. Gregson pointed out yesterday. Here we have a magnificent harbor, built at a cost of millions of money, capable of accommodating a great fleet of sea-going ships. Our industrial development is going on at a pace that promises soon to put us high up in the ranks of the manufacturing centers of the nation. We have at our very doors one of the richest fields for the carrying on of a commerce of limitless magnitude, for to the south is Mexico, Central and South America, with untold purchasing power and endless development possibilities. That a vast and profitable trade may be developed with our southern neighbors is a matter that lies totally within the power of our merchants and manufacturers, Mr. Gregson stated, but to reap the benefits of this great opportunity ships to carry the commerce to and from this field are necessary.

WOULD CHARTER BOATS.

It is Mr. Gregson's idea that the city charter two ships, to be put on this run and operated for a term of years, until the trade assumes a magnitude that will tempt private capital to take it up; then have the city enter into an agreement with the private company to the effect that they are to have a monopoly of the business, under a reasonable degree of regulation as to rates and sailing schedules, with the specific understanding that the ships will be kept on the route, regardless of what opportunities offer in other parts. This to guard against a recurrence of the conditions now prevailing because of the high rates to be secured on trans-Atlantic service.

With the idea of securing an estimate of the volume of traffic that such a line could be assured, Mr. Gregson sent a letter to 200 houses in this city asking how much freight they would guarantee per month if a regular, dependable service was installed. He received replies from practically every house addressed and the guarantee amounted to between 2000 and 3000 tons per month, a tonnage sufficient to warrant the putting on of one 4000-ton ship at once.

"It's a big idea and we are going to work it out," said Mr. Gregson, "and put Los Angeles and Los Angeles Harbor in a position that will be the envy and the marvel of all ambitious cities in the United States.

TWO BURGLARIES.

Thieves Raid Two Stores; Take Cigars and Clothes.

Underclothes, overcoats, necktties and socks were part of the loot taken from the store of Louis Benson, No. 2066 East Seventh street, early yesterday morning by thieves who forced an entrance through a rear door. It is the third time in three months the place has been plundered. The stolen goods are valued at $400.

Candy and cigars in quantity were taken from the store of Mrs. H. A. Hunter, No. 801 Mateo street. A small side door of the store was broken open. Mrs. Hunter has given a description of the missing articles to the police.

FIGURES SHOW WHERE CARS ARE.

Salt Lake "Dogs" on Equipment; Santa Fe and Espee are Short.

The Salt Lake is "long" on cars, while the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific both show discrepancies between the number owned and those they now have workable, according to a bulletin issued yesterday by the American Railway Association, as of December 1.

In this bulletin the Salt Lake is shown as the owner of 3053 cars, and as having 102 per cent. of these and others at home, while the Santa Fe, which owns 57,740 cars, has 94 per cent. at home, and the Southern Pacific, the owner of 44,920 cars, has 97 per cent. at home.

But the Salt Lake, the bulletin further shows, is not to to be classed as the premier car "cornerer," for the Western Pacific has six times as many cars at home as it owns.

Rose Tourney.

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enteen little girls to ride behind the pair, and received applications from 200. His ponies have just returned from a trip of 3000 miles into Canada and return, and a year ago they completed a circuit of the United States.

The Hawaiian float decorators went to great trouble to prepare purple, yellow and white costumes for King Kanehaneha, his princes, dancing girls and girl outriders. After all had been finished the costumes sent from Hawaii arrived yesterday.

From Yokohama came a ton of artificial cherry blossoms, exquisitely perfect. The fact hat they were artificial, however, barred them from use in decorating, for the Tournament of Roses' rules permit no artificial blossoms. President D. M. Linnard cancelled a personal entry he had made for the hotel division and gave to the Japanese float all the flowers he had reserved for his own entry.

ALL WELCOME.

President Linnard states he has learned a number of invitations for the Tournament of Roses ball Monday evening at the Hotel Maryland palm room were not sent out. The public is invited to the Tournament of Roses ball. It is the annual official closing of the day's programme, and Mr. Linnard expresses the hope that nobody will remain away for lack of an invitation. Society people from all parts of Southern California are making their plans to attend the affair, and it is expected to be a brilliant social event.

Trains coming into Pasadena yesterday were filled with Tournament of Roses visitors. Boarding houses and hotels have been filled to capacity, and it is expected that at least 200,000 visitors will view the pageant.

Roses in large quantities for the parade today were offered from private gardens of Pasadena when it became known that there was a shortage as a result of the unfavorable weather of last week. Two days of warm sunshine, following the rains, brought out the roses in profusion, and helped to overcome the threatened shortage of flowers.

One of the remarkable transformations in the preparations for the pageant is seen at the Tournament of Roses decorating headquarters, where an accumulation of old cans that had been growing for several days, until it looked like a city dump, was passed through a side room and came out as a gorgeous collection of oriental-lanterns.

A PIONEER.

The most interesting and historic bit of equipment which will be used today in the Tournament of Roses parade will be a crop stick, which was carried by Dr. Francis F. Rowland, of the Valley Hunt Club, in the first parade, twenty-eight years ago, and in each subsequent procession with one exception. Dr. Rowland, who was one of the organizers of the world-famous festival, has grown up with it, so to speak.

One of the special features of the first tournament, as Dr. Rowland recalled yesterday, was a race between "Daisy," his Kentucky thoroughbred race horse, and "Mouse," a greyhound, owned by the late Charles Frederick Holder.

"Which won?" the pioneer was asked yesterday.

"It was a dead heat," he replied.

"If this crop stick had reminiscences as I do and could talk," Dr. Rowland continued, "it would recall that in the first parade there was only ten decorated vehicles, no floats, and only one band. C. D. Daggett had the only decorated family carriage. Most of the entries were pony carts or horseback riders.

"A particular feature of the parade was the showing made by the three Lugo brothers and their twenty-five mounted vaqueros. The saddles used by the noted Spanish rancheros and their retinue were silver-mounted and especially elaborate and their horses were the best of the native breed. The streets were not paved and the procession moved through the mud.

"The grandstand which was at the old baseball park had a seating capacity of 250. An admission price of twenty-five cents was charged to those who had the money, but no one was denied entrance for lack of the change. The ladies of the club gave boutinieres to all persons seated in the grandstand. The ladies also distributed free lunch to the club members and their friends in unlimited numbers. Orange were distributed free.

Dr. Rowland's two daughters, Virginia, now Mrs. C. W. Leffingwell, and Edith Rowland, drove a tandem team of ponies in the first parade.

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Penn vs. Oregon.

CLIMAX OF FOOTBALL SEASON BREAKS TODAY.

BY HOWARD ANGUS.

THE football varsities of the Universities of Pennsylvania and Oregon will play this afternoon at Tournament Park, Pasadena. The game will begin promptly at 2:15 o'clock and it is estimated that 22,000 persons will be in attendance. This is the second annual contest of the kind, Washington State defeated Brown last New Year's by a score of 14 to 0.

MOST IMPORTANT.

From a national viewpoint, the game is by all odds the most important of the season, for it brings together on the gridiron the East and West and will go far toward settling the greatly agitated question as to which plays the better brand of football.

More representative teams or better exponents of the styles of football played in their respective sections than Pennsylvania and Oregon would be hard to find. The Blue and Red players come from the Atlantic seaboard, rated as the fourth best eleven in the East, and bring with them victories over Michigan and Cornell.

Oregon is the strongest eleven on the Pacific Coast. The northwesterners have overpowered all other western elevens by impressive scores, with the exception of Washington. The game with the last-named university was played in a field of mud and resulted in a 0-to-0 tie. Twice Oregon players carried the ball past the last Washington defense, only to flounder in the mud and fumble the water-soaked pigskin.

HARD WORK.

The two elevens have been in Pasadena since last Wednesday and have practiced every day. The Oregon players have resided at the Maryland Hotel and held scrimmages in Tournament Park. The Pennsylvania men have taken up their quarters at the Hotel Raymond and used the turf of the golf course for signal drill. The workouts of yesterday consisted of hikes for both squads. Coach Folwell took his twenty-two Blue and Red players down the Arroyo Seco. Coach Bezdek gave his northwesterners a trip to the ocean and a run along the sands.

Both coaches are sending their football juggernauts into the game without an excuse. Pennsylvania is in excellent condition. The only regular missing from the eastern line-up is Urquhart, an end, but Coach Folwell says that Crane is perfectly competent to fill the missing one's shoes. Oregon is in the best condition of the season. Bill Hayward, the trainer, thinks that his men are in as fine fighting trim as when they defeated Washington State and in better shape than in any other game of the year.

NOTHING TO IT.

Last week several rumors were current that the easterners were not keeping training and were looking forward to the game as a huge joke. These rumors are branded as false by the players who were said to have broken training rules. Coach Folwell said last night, "Yes, I have heard reports that my team is not in fighting trim and I want to kill those rumors here and now."

The coach went farther and predicted a Pennsylvania victory. "I will go as far as to say that Penn will win tomorrow's game. We are going to put a team on the field that won't be licked and consequently can't be licked. It will be a team of gentlemen and they will play a gentlemen's game of football. That is the strongest statement that I have made this year."

Coach Bezdek of Oregon is a man of few words, who hates to make predictions, and always prophesies defeat. Before the game with California, which Oregon won 37 to 12, he said, "We'll hardly give California a good workout." Yesterday, he said, "I would be foolish to predict victory. All the experts, Doble, Pipal, Rheinschild, predict our defeat. I'll tell you whether we'll win or not after the game." That is the most that anybody ever pried out of Bezdek.

POPULAR OPINION.

The popular opinion is that Pennsylvania will win today's game. Several of the foremost coaches on the Pacific Coast have been rather free in their statements that the easterners will win. Among the best known of these are Lonestar Dietz of Washington State, Gilmar Doble of Washington, Andy Smith of California and Joseph A. Pipal of the Oregon Aggies.

Any prediction is more of a guess than anything else. The teams have never met. Each has played on the other side of the continent from the other. They have nothing in common.

The type of football played by the is totally different from that played by the other. Pennsylvania is an exponent of the new open game. The easterners are adepts at the forward pass. Every member of the squad catches the oval as if he were a baseball player, and at least six of them can throw it with deadly accuracy up to fifty yards. The attack shown in signal drill was anything but straight or massed football. All of the plays seemed to be intended to trick the other team, catch it off guard and strike its weakest point.

All of the easterners seem to be fast on their feet. Howard Berry, the all-American full-back; Hobey Light, the right half, and Heinie Miller, the all-American end, are especially speedy. Penn sympathizers expect to see all three of these men break away from Oregon for long, sensational runs. The Penn coaches claim that Berry is the fastest man at picking and slipping through a hole that ever played the game.

Howard Berry is the most finished kicker ever seen here. He punts high spirals for fifty yards which give the ends ample time to be under the ball when it comes down. His drop kicks are the most accurate in the game, and almost certain to go between the posts from within the 40-yard line. In eastern games he made six out of eight attempted drops.

Oregon, on the other hand, has shown only the straightest kind of football in practice. The men mass back of the ball and shift whichever way the play is to go. At least nine men are ahead of the man with the ball. Not by tricks, but by brute strength the northwesterners hope to overpower the East. They expect by continual battering to simply wear out Pennsylvania and finally score at will.

The enigma of the coming game is the Oregon defense for the forward pass. The Pacific Coast eleven has never had to defend itself against an aerial attack and the experts look for the sky offense to baffle them.

In weight there is little to choose between the two aggregations, if figures given out by the rival coaches are correct. Both lines are exceedingly heavy. The western back field outweighs the eastern by several pounds to the man.

But the westerners look huskier and more mature than the asterners. The Pennsylvania players appear to be boys, but the Oregonians are men. They are hard as pine and look as if they had been reared on the hard work of the farm and lumber camps. The easterners look as if they never did a lick of hard work.

THE LINE-UP.

The line-up of the two teams and the weights of the individual players follow:

Oregon.		Pennsylvania.
Mitchell (182)	L.E.R.	Miller (170)
Beckett (C.) (194)	L.T.R.	Little (210)
Hall (196)	L.G.R.	Heisling (210)
Rieter (176)	C.	L. Way (180)
Spellman (180)	R.G.L.	Ertzwaug (167)
Bardett (185)	R.T.L.	Mathews (C.) (182)
Tennant (170)	R.E.L.	Capps (152)
L. Huntington (182)	Q.	Bell (150)
Mitchell (170)	L.H.R.	Light (170)
Parsons (165)	R.H.L.	Derr (156)
R. Huntington (154)	F.	Berry (168)

AVERAGE WEIGHTS.

Oregon—Average weight of team, 181; average weight of line from tackle to tackle, 186; average weight of back field, 175.

Pennsylvania—Average weight of team, 176; average weight of line from tackle to tackle, 187; average weight of back field, 171.

OFFICIALS.

Referee, W. S. Kienholz, of Pasadena, University of Minnesota; umpire, Andy W. Smith of Pasadena, University of Michigan; field judge, David Witmer of Los Angeles, Harvard University; head linesman, Jack Wells of Los Angeles, University of Chicago; head scorer, W. T. Wilson of Pasadena, University of Chicago.

A NEW YEAR'S PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gage of West Forty-ninth street, entertained a number of musical friends last night at a New Year's party. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Brundage, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Colby, Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Tandler Mr. and Mrs. Cligord Lott, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Selby, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Deall and Charles Wakefield Cadman.

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of Police had refused to issue permits to the cafe men, because it was Sunday as well as New Year's Eve, word had gone the rounds that there would be no effort to curtail the fun, provided the management exercised proper regard for the proprieties and saw to it that none of the merrymakers became intoxicated. Shortly after the advent of the new year, the crowds began to thin out and every taxicab in the city was called into use. There was little or no disorder on the streets, although thousands of men and women were aboard. The greater part of the crowd contented themselves with throwing confetti and colored paper ribbons, and in singing and applauding the cabaret entertainers.

In the homes and the churches where services of a religious nature were held, there was a deep spirit of reverence manifest. Shortly after 1 o'clock all the churches had been emptied and the citizens were homeward bound. In all the different celebrations, of whatever nature, the jollifying was curtailed because most of the men and women wanted to get a few hours' sleep prior to going to Pasadena to take part in the Tournament of Roses. Almost every public vehicle has been chartered for use today to carry people to and from the Pasadena fete. If the weather holds fine, as the weather man predicts, there will be a record-breaking crowd in Pasadena.

It is estimated that fully 20,000 persons, exclusive of the theater, church and cafe crowds, celebrated the birth of the new year by dancing. Owners of dance halls declared that their crowds were the largest in years. This held true in the beach towns, as well as in Los Angeles.

Accidents.

CYCLISTS INJURED.

Two Machines Skid—One's Rider is in Danger of Death Because of Fractured Skull — Other's Pilot Has a Broken Hand and Bruises.

Serious injuries were received yesterday by two motorcyclists. More seriously hurt was Ray Kennedy, 21 years old, a United States mail special delivery man, living at No. 3799 La Salle avenue. His machine skidded at Eleventh street and Grand avenue and he was unconscious when taken to the Receiving Hospital. His skull is broken and his life is in peril.

Edward Jones, 22 years old, No. 1711 Grover street, was injured when his machine skidded at Pico and Hoover streets. He was thrown against the curbing. His right hand was broken and his head and shoulders cut and bruised.

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STATE MUTUAL BUILDING LOAN ASSOCIATION

LOS ANGELES

Jan. 1, 1917

Assets

Loans on Real Estate, and Advances (secured)	$3,865,224.17
Accrued Earnings	14,195.90
Furniture and Fixtures	707.08
Real Estate	16,386.90
Street Improvement Bonds, etc.	20,791.56
Cash on Hand in Bank	371,708.76
	$4,289,014.37

Liabilities

Paid in Capital	$602,764.00	
Surplus and Undivided Earnings	186,834.04	
Total		$ 789,598.04
Full Paid and Installment Investment Certificates and Earnings thereon		3,431,423.35
Matured Coupons not Called for		23,149.75
Accrued Interest (not due) and Advance Payments of Interest on Loans		42,619.65
Miscellaneous Accounts		2,223.58
		$4,289,014.37

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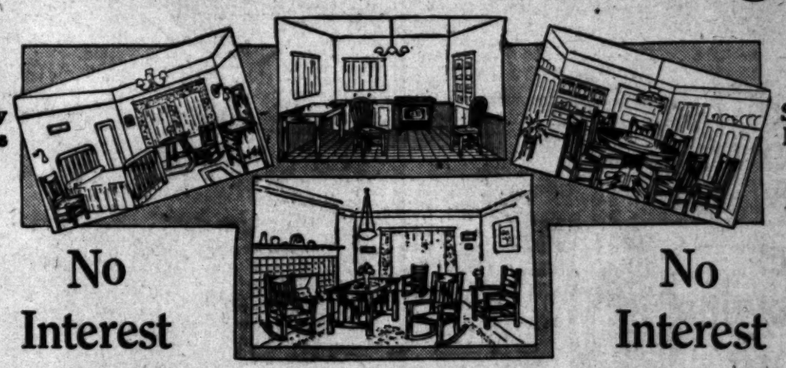

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1—F. O. Auto Seat Rocker	1—White Enamel Dresser	1—F. O. Extension Table
1—F. O. Auto Seat Rocker	1—White Enamel Bed	6—F. O. Wood Seat Dining Chairs
1—F. O. Slip Seat Rocker	1—Sanitary Steel Spring	
1—F. O. Slip Seat Rocker	1—Roll Edge Mattress	1—A-B Gas Range
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We Will Sell for Cash Only At Both Stores

The new policy directed toward reducing the high cost of living, yet maintaining the same standard to which you are accustomed, will be our aim. All prices have been reduced to standard cash prices.

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We take this opportunity of thanking our customers and friends for their liberal patronage in the past, and express the hope that we may be favored with a continuance of same. Telephone Delivery Service maintained.

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Get a copy of "FOOD FACTS" Wednesday, Jan. 3, our new folder, which includes a discussion of food values and food buying economies.

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REV. CLYDE SHEPARD.

MT. HOLLYWOOD CHURCH.

WISE MEN WILL USE THE DAYS OF THE NEW YEAR AS GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANTS FOR CHRISTIAN LIFE.

"A New Conception of a Year" was the subject of Rev. Clyde Shepard yesterday in the Mt. Hollywood Congregational Church. He said, in part:

"Whatever you control is taken from God's eternal possessions, and is in your hands for a little time. That is his farm, his store, his factory, his salary. You are his agent for its disposition and use temporarily. See that it returns full quota of service to its owner.

"Time, whatever it is, belongs to God. A year is a block of it given to us to invest and use for him. We stand with arms outstretched today expecting the gift of a year. And when the strokes are twelve on tomorrow's midnight it comes partly within our grasp. Some of us will snatch it rudely from the hands of God and chase away with its first days like a dog with a bone, to gobble them greedily for ourselves. The wiser and nobler ones will use the days as good and faithful servants, at the dying of the year bringing them to their Lord, not rusty from lying away, nor dirty from misuse, but richer and brighter for having been intrusted to their care."

DR. TILROE.

UNIVERSITY METHODIST.

PIOUS TRIFLING IS DISASTROUS, AND THE WORLD IS FULL OF PEOPLE WHO BEG TO BE EXCUSED.

In a sermon in the University Methodist Episcopal Church yesterday on the subject of "Pious Trifling," Dr. W. E. Tilroe said:

"The world is full of pious trifers. They do not quarrel with religion. They only beg to be excused. The supper of the great God may be quite wonderful, but the neighbors are not going and they follow the crowd, that weather vane of the ages. They really truly have a good opinion of religion, as an annex. It is splendid as a trailer, when the machine has been tried out and landed in the garage, and the real estate deal carried through, and the dear wife quite happy, one is so pleased to pray. A convenient God is quite an affair. This Bible story is very much like several others we have read. Maybe when it says that pious trifling is disaster one day it may be true. To grow starved for God's great supper bye and bye and to die for want of it is a thing to think about."

REV. J. E. ENMAN.

EAST CONGREGATIONAL.

MAN MUST ADVANCE IN THE ACHIEVEMENT OF WORTHY CHARACTER AND IN DOING WORTHY SERVICE.

"A New Beginning with God" was the subject of Rev. James E. Enman yesterday in the East Congregational Church. He said, in part:

"The Lord's division of time into days and nights and seasons was designed for our encouragement, growth and perfection. These divisions are object lessons, aids to encouragement, new starting points. Each month is various to present the world with some development. They afford not only variety, but new beginnings—opportunities of applying lessons learned in earlier periods.

"Although man was given a divine start, he soon got into trouble. While he got into it by himself, he could not get out of it without God's help. So the Exodus, the Israelites going out of slavery into the promised land, represents a new beginning with God. As God's ancient people were about to start on that new beginning, the Lord said to them: 'This month shall be the beginning of months, it shall be the first month of the year to you.'

"Settle it in your minds as the closing days of 1916 steal silently away, that no review of life is profitable unless and until it shows one his latent powers and divinely given opportunities, and urges him onward, ever onward, in the achievement of a worthy character and the accomplishment of helpful service."

DR. LOCKE.

FIRST METHODIST.

THE SILENCE, TRANQUILLITY, MAJESTY, SUBLIMITY AND ETERNITY OF THE HILLS REMIND US OF GOD.

"Some of God's Hilltops" was the sermon subject of Dr. Charles Edward Locke in the First Methodist Episcopal Church yesterday. In the course of this sermon he said:

"When King David selected the site of the temple which his favored son should be honored in building, it was graceful Moriah's summit which was chosen. And when the ardent Psalmist would more adequately describe the power and majesty of the Heavenly Father he said, 'The strength of the hills is His also.' All over Europe there are beautiful cathedrals on the hilltops, and travelers across the Alps find wayside crosses among the ascending mountain paths.

"The poet who said that the groves were God's first temples I think must surely have overlooked the high hilltops. The 'hills rock-ribbed and ancient as the sun' seem in their lofty altars' the first dwelling place of the God who made them.

"The silence, the sublimity, the tranquillity, the majesty, the eternity of the hills all remind of God.

"They inspire our loftiest song. And they tune our most worshipful anthems as we join in the strains of the Pilgrim's Psalm, 'I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help.'"

DR. NASH.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST.

ONLY THE ENDLESS LIFE WITHIN OFFERS SECURITY AND POWER TO THE SOUL AND EXALTS THE PRESENT.

In a sermon on "Time and Eternity" preached by Dr. C. Ellwood Nash yesterday in the First Universalist Church he said, in part:

"The simple fact is duration, succession, continuity. This, which streams along uninterruptedly from the has-been through the is to the yet-to-be, we mark off in the minute arc of our experience and according to certain rotations and sequences of natural objects, merely for purposes of reckoning. But this effort to keet tab on our activities makes no impression upon the actual flow of moments. Time is nothing else than that small piece of eternity of which we happen to be cognisant. Eternity is not to come; it now and forever is. Its quality, its significance do not change, nor do its laws vary. They exist here and today, as much as the ever did or ever can. The only change is in our apprehension of them, our adjustment to them, our enduement by them.

"Now, this is not a mere useless speculation. It gears in with our thought and life in a most practical way. First, it admonishes us not to set up trivial standards for measurement of God and of Life which shares his eternity. It forbids us to erect partitions and barriers in a field strictly limitless, and to conceive these artificial boundaries as anything more than lines of convenience. It appeals to us to estimate life, not by its relation to the fragment called time, but by its place and import in the total called eternity. It makes us unafraid of the presence of God, which is as actual and potent here as it will be anywhere. It gives victory over death, which turns out to be just a normal advance into the next type of being. It stresses the fact, which we are always trying to evade, that not accident nor vicissitude nor any external happening, but only the endless life within offers security and power to the soul. It solemnizes and exalts the present, by showing that we already inhabit eternity."

ELDER M'REYNOLDS.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST.

SANTA KNOWS THAT HIS DOOM IS SEALED AND IS REDOUBLING HIS BATTLE FOR CAPTURE OF SOULS.

Elder C. McReynolds spoke last night in the Boyle Heights Seventh Day Adventist Church on the subject, "Is There a Personal Devil?" During this discourse he said:

"Christ came to wrest this world from the power of Satan, and met him face to face in the wilderness. He began the battle at the place where man had lost—on the point of appetite—and conquered. Although Christ was victor all through His life, Satan, through human agents, put Him to death, which death pays the penalty of sin for all who accept of His atoning blood.

"From the time of Christ's resurrection Satan has known that his doom is sealed and has redoubled his efforts in his battle for souls, as it is written, 'Woe to the inhabiters of the earth and the sea, for the devil is come down unto you, having wrath because he knoweth that he hath but a short time.' He has power to transform himself into an angel of light, and with his evil angels pose as ministers of righteousness.

"Jesus said, 'I am the way,' not one of the ways, but 'the way,' and it is only by a close study of His life and teachings, and a careful obedience to God's unchangeable commands, that we will be enabled to overcome the great deceiver and be ready to meet the Saviour when He comes."

REYNOLD E. BLIGHT.

CHURCH OF THE PEOPLE.

HE ALONE IS SAVED WHO CEASES FROM FALSE THINKING AND FALSE LIVING AND FOLLOWS THE TRUTH.

"The Indiscretion of Telling the Truth" was the subject of the address by Reynold E. Blight before the Church of the People, in Blanchard Hall yesterday morning. He said, in part:

"Society will be saved only by truth telling. The prophet, the reformer who declares the truth of God in words of violent earnestness, may die on the gibbet, but the word of God fearlessly declared rocks down tyranny and pretense and establishes righteousness. The lie tho temporarily triumphant holds within itself the seeds of its own destruction. Only the truth is strong.

"What is true for society is also true for the individual. He alone is saved who ceases from false thinking, and false living and gives himself with an abandon of consecration to the truth. Though he hold the most orthodox creed his profession is vain unless his life show forth the truth of God which is love, purity, health, and peace. Disease of body, prejudice of mind, pettiness of soul are the manifestations of falsity. When the soul puts on the garment of holiness the whole being must radiate that beauty of wholesomeness and health that are the sure possession of the man who knows himself a child of God who is the eternal truth, and is conscious of his birthright."

REV. W. L. Y. DAVIS.

WEST ADAMS METHODIST.

THE CHURCH IS NOT JUST A LIFEBOAT; IT IS A BATTLESHIP; IT MUST DO GREAT THINGS.

The following are some sentences taken from a sermon by Rev. W. L. Y. Davis yesterday in the West Adams Methodist Episcopal Church on the subject of "Tomorrow:"

"We have been made trustees in the company that holds and controls the water of life; we are trustees of the light of the world; we are trustees of the bread of life.

"If I use these things lavishly on myself, and am a trifle sluggish in the distribution of them among the folks of my neighborhood, I wonder whether I have been misappropriating trust funds. The misuse of trust funds is a crime.

"A congregation ought not just be luke-warm; it ought to be steam! A cake of ice is better than luke-warm—it will keep things from spoiling at least.

"Christianity is not just a fire insurance; it is a marathon!

"The church is not just a life-boat; it is a battleship."

REV. H. B. SMITH.

IMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN.

THE WHOLE NEW TESTAMENT IS A GREAT PIECE OF RELIGIOUS ADVERTISEMENT AND WITNESS TO CHRIST.

"The After-Christmas Way" was the subject of Rev. Herbert Booth Smith yesterday in Immanuel Presbyterian Church. He said, in part:

"The after-Christmas way is a way of testimony and witness. All the lives of Christ that we have in the New Testament are letters of testimony, written by men whose lives had been changed, and they wanted everyone else to know about it. The whole New Testament is a great piece of religious advertisement. It has been calculated that if there were only 100 Christians in the world, and if each one of them won just one man a year to Christ, in twenty-five years every last man would hear the message, and all our appeals for foreign and home missions would be stopped.

"The after-Christmas way is a way of unknown danger and temptation. The Magi embarked on a dangerous mission. Our Lord Himself, immediately after entering upon His public ministry, went into the wilderness of temptation. So we may well expect to find our path beset by infernal machines.

"The after-Christmas way is a way of transfigured service. Vision transfigures task. There was once an auctioneer who went on a vacation, and stood on Great Orme's Head, that magnificent height in Wales. There he forgot all about sales and commerce in contemplation of the splendid panorama before him, and at last he exclaimed: 'Fancy auctioneering after this!' The trouble with this man was that he was going to leave his vision there instead of taking it with him down to his profession. It would have been better if he had said: 'Auctioneering will be different after this.' We have seen the Christchild. Shall we say, 'Fancy 1917 after this?' Or shall we not rather say, 'Nineteen hundred and seventeen will be different after this?'"

RABBI MAGNIN.

TEMPLE B'NAI B'RITH.

LIBERAL RELIGION AIMS TO COUPLE REASON WITH FAITH AND IS SPIRITUAL, BUT NOT EMOTIONAL.

At the regular Sabbath services in Temple B'nai B'rith, Rabbi Edgar F. Magnin spoke on "Liberalism in Religion," and said, in part:

"Liberal religion is growing more popular every day. For a liberal religion aims to couple reason with faith. It is spiritual, but not emotional. It is based on faith that is tempered by secular and unbiased opinion and that endeavors to be in accord with the culture of the day. That more people are not affiliated with liberal religious sects is due to the fact that many have swung to the opposite extreme of their former religion. They can no longer see a happy medium. All religion to them spells superstition. Because they were asked to believe in things, formerly which they could not agree to, they have refused to investigate the more advanced religious doctrines of the day and those sects that have embodied them in their teachings.

"The happy medium in religion as in all things is ever to be sought. Emotionalism on the one hand and materialism on the other are both destined to work havoc as they always have worked havoc. They have checked civilization's normal growth."

Wedding Bells.

START NEW YEAR RIGHT.

San Francisco Couple Marry in Cafe. Los Angeles Couple at Santa Ana, While Dayton Girl Crosses Continent to Wed on Mt. Wilson.

Romance was rampant at the Oriental cafe last night, when Roland P. Newcomb, 25 years old, married Miss Ruth Badlam, 19 years old, in the private office of the cafe management, Justice Summerfield officiating.

Both the bride and groom are from San Francisco and the wedding will come as a surprise to the friends of the young people, who are well known in the Bay City.

Mrs. Newcomb will return to San Francisco this morning, to be followed at an early date by the husband. Mrs. Newcomb has been a social secretary and has written a number of short stories.

Another romantic marriage took place at the witching hour of midnight last night on Mt. Wilson, when Miss Rose Lawler of Dayton, O., became the bride of Richard Henderson. A jolly crowd of fraternity brothers of the Phi Alpha Kappa were present.

In fulfilling a suddenly-conceived idea to be married instantly, Miss Ethel May Dorcas, 27 years old, and Alvin Hauser Amberg, 32 years old, made a flying trip to Santa Ana last night and rousted County Clerk Williams and Justice Cox out of bed to join them in matrimony. Mr. Amberg is an adertising man. The ceremony was witnessed by Miss Geppsey Stanton of Los Angeles and Leo Weyman of Santa Monica.

PHYSICIAN PASSES.

Death Claims Man Who Was Resident for Thirty-three Years.

Dr. E. A. Clarke, 68 years old, a physician in this city for the past thirty-three years, died at his home, No. 2011 Eighth avenue, at a late hour last night of pneumonia. Funeral services will be conducted at the late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The body will be buried at Rosedale.

Dr. Clarke took an active part in the civic and professional life of the city, and was widely known. He is survived by his wife, who is completely prostrated by the shock of her husband's death. Mrs. C. Wesley Roberts, a niece, is the only other living relative of the deceased.

Rosy.

SANTA FE STATEMENT.

Return on Property Investment for Twelve Months Ended at Close of November One and Half Per Cent. More than in Preceding Year.

The Santa Fe has just issued a comparative statement for the month of November, 1915 and 1916, which shows an increase in gross operating revenues of $999,538.57 for the latter month. The operating expenses increased $40,660.31; the net operating revenues increased $955,877.96; the taxes $97,453.99; uncollectable revenues decreased $510.99; operating income increased $860,934.96, while the average mileage operated increased only 21.95 miles.

For the five months of the fiscal year of 1916 ended November 30, as compared with the same period in 1915, the increase shown in gross operating revenues amounted to $8,797,166.42; the operating expenses increased $2,238,301.92; the net operating revenues increased $6,458,864.50; taxes $442,858.12; the uncollectable revenues decreased $9665.19; the operating income increased $6,025,671.57, while the total average operated mileage increased 25.69.

The return on property investment for the twelve months ended November 30, 1916, is 6.77 per cent, as against 5.22 per cent. for the corresponding period of 1915, or an increase for 1916 of 1.55 per cent. return on investment.

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A WHEAT CENTER.

Porterville—the center of a great deal of agricultural activity in California—expects to harvest 300,000 bags of wheat in 1917, there being a large increase in acreage compared with last year. The 1916 crop was 192,000 bags. Wheat growers in that section last fall were paid $496,255 for their wheat. The early rains of October and later months assure that the forthcoming crop will be a large one.

THE PROPER PLACE.

Los Angeles has extended a general invitation for the first peace conference to be held in this city. The European governments may fail to take advantage of the offer, but we are glad that Los Angeles is the first city in the world to have extended such an invitation. Caressed by soft breezes from the peaceful Pacific, crowned with sunshine and ablaze with a million flowers, the Angel City would be a very proper place to hold a peace conference. No bunch of representatives on earth could stay in Los Angeles a week and then go back and advise their respective governments to continue the slaughter.

A MILLION.

There is a town in the Imperial Valley which reports that in its immediate section 25,000 acres of cotton will be planted for the coming crop; some 1500 acres will be used for cantaloupes, while corn, barley and other crops will take up another 25,000 acres, making 61,500 acres for the town of Calipatria. In addition to the above there are 10,000 acres of grape-fruit trees which will come into bearing. It requires no unusual figuring to determine where Calipatria comes in on the forthcoming deal which Nature will make for the ranchers in 1917. It should run upwards of a million dollars or more. And this is a new country.

A DAIRY STRONGHOLD.

Imperial Valley has just completed a live-stock show. It was very largely attended, and under canvas there were displayed cattle, sheep and hogs which have found favorable mention in the live-stock shows of the East. The Imperial Valley is rapidly developing as a dairy and stock country. Special efforts have been made to improve the breeding; and when Wisconsin people send to the Imperial Valley for choice cattle it is fair to assume that there is merit in the climate and to the conditions which go far to produce the products in demand. Recent statistics place the Imperial Valley as first in the counties of the State for butter fat.

POLICE AND FINANCING.

The old popular song said that a policeman's lot is not a happy one; but it is distinctly cheerful as compared with that of the members of the Finance Committee of the City Council who have just been called upon to provide the funds for fifty-five additional men on the Los Angeles force. The committee accomplished the job, but it required considerable financial dexterity.

In view of the numerous demands which are now being made on the committee for money for all sorts of projects the members are justified in saying, as they did in the Council Chamber, "I told you so." They recalled the days when they were inundated with demands to cut the appropriations for every department down to the bone and to reduce the tax rate. They did it—and now there come demands from every quarter for more money. There seems to be an Oliver Twist in every department crying, "More, more," and outside of the departments there are a thousand and one citizens with pet schemes who think their projects should be financed at least in part by the city. No one need envy the members of the Finance Committee.

A FINE NEW YEAR'S GIFT.

No better New Year's gift could have been made to Los Angeles by its Council than the emergency ordinance which it has just adopted, under which the two telephone systems can be merged into one. It means that by the time 1917 has pursued its course the entire city will enjoy a one-telephone system—a consummation which has been devoutly wished for a number of years. If there is one nuisance above another of which merchants and business men legitimately complain it is the two-telephone annoyance. It is a source of irritation which has been responsible for as many cuss words as the Johnson administration, and everybody knows that that has been cussed up hill and down dale and most deservedly so.

It is the unanimous opinion of the Council that the arrangement made for the transfer of the Home Telephone Company's franchise to the Southern California Company and the carrying out of the agreements which are to be signed in connection with that transfer are highly advantageous for the city. This opinion is shared by organizations and associations of much influence here. Only the hidebound municipal ownership faddists, who want the people to be controlled entirely from the City Hall, have raised any objection. It is patent to everyone else that now is not the time for municipal ownership of the telephone in Los Angeles. However, there is no need to bother about these faddists. The fact remains that we are to have the one-telephone system here. It will take about a year to fully carry out the plan, but the business section may expect to get the advantage of it earlier. When it comes everybody will give praise.

THE "MIDWINTER."

This, as every reader soon ascertains, is the annual Midwinter Number of The Times—composed of five handsome magazine parts and two large newspaper sections. It will go by thousands all over the civilized world. The greetings of the publishers are fully expressed in prose, verse and art—and these lines are to remind the subscriber or buyer of what belongs to him, what he should get in each instance, and why he should be very happy this morning. No readers interested in Los Angeles, Southern California or the Great Southwest can absorb even a modicum of the good cheer presented in this great edition without being thankful that they are alive and that they thrive in these wonderfully blessed parts of our land of peace and abundance.

THE YEAR 1917.

The year 1917 will be, unless all signs fail, an epochal period in world history. As we look forward into the new year, straining in our blindness to read the future, it looms large with promise—and with portent.

That the most destructive and ferocious war known to earth records will end this year now looks probable. Tremendous political, industrial and commercial transformations are certain to follow the ending of this war. Most far-reaching of all is the peace pact which the people of all nations—warring and neutral—are expecting and, indeed, commanding. This is a treaty of peace which shall be binding, which shall make war among civilized nations as obsolete as the Inquisition of the Middle Ages, or the cannibalism of primitive savages.

Mexico, too, seems approaching the culmination of disorder and chaos. A strong hand and a firm direction, whether it be native or foreign, is now demanded by all thinking people, Mexican, American or European. And 1917 will certainly bring a decisive change of some sort to this disrupted and distracted empire.

In fact the entire earth appears to be standing on the verge of unprecedented beginnings and endings; unrest, discontent, striving which must result in upheaval of some sort is everywhere evident. We, in this country, are trying to grasp new opportunities, to adjust ourselves to rapidly-changing conditions, to meet new requirements and problems of production and trade at home and abroad.

And the city of Los Angeles has much to look forward to. Momentous matters are to be decided by her people. The question of power bonds and of flood control, of tunnels through Bunker Hill, of a new City Hall, a jail and a library building will all come before them this year. The future history of the city will depend very vitally upon the way these projects are handled. "Destiny" is in the hands of our municipal government and our voters.

We shall open our morning newspapers this year with keen interest. As onlookers or as participants there will always be the expectation of finding revelations, or revolutions, perhaps. No one should suffer from ennui, finding life dull and tasteless in this year A.D. 1917. The world drama will move swiftly enough to satisfy the most blase of beholders, and it holds leading parts for every nation, for every world citizen, in fact.

This is a marvelous time in which to live; a day of awakenings, of vital forces developing, of new understandings of old things. Never before have the possibilities of humanity opened out so alluringly. Never before has mankind known so much—and so little.

A DRASTIC PROHIBITION LAW.

The prohibition law for the District of Columbia, which was under discussion in the United States Senate before the holiday recess, will probably be brought to a vote early this week. The text of a portion of the proposed law is as follows:

Section 1. That on and after the first day of November, A. D. 1917, it shall be unlawful for any person, house, association, firm, company, club or corporation, his, its or their agents, officers, clerks or servants, to sell, manufacture or dispose of any intoxicating liquor or alcohol of any kind in the District of Columbia or to have in his or its possession or to transport any intoxicating liquor or alcohol in the District of Columbia unless the same was procured and is so possessed and transported under a permit as hereinafter provided.

Wherever the term "liquor," "intoxicating liquor" or "intoxicating liquors" is used in this act it shall be deemed to include whisky, brandy, rum, gin, wine, ale, porter, beer, cordials, hard or fermented cider, alcoholic bitters, ethyl alcohol, all malt liquors and all other alcoholic liquors.

. . . . . .

Sec. 14. That it shall be unlawful for any person to import, ship, sell, transport, deliver, receive or have in his possession any intoxicating liquors except as in this act provided.

Sec. 15. That any person who shall in any public place or in or upon any passenger coach, street car, boat or in or upon any other vehicle commonly used for the transportation of passengers or in or about any depot, platform or waiting-room, drink any intoxicating liquor of any kind, or any person who shall be drunk or intoxicated in any public or private road or street or in any passenger coach, street car or any public place or building or at any public gathering, or any person who shall be drunk or intoxicated and shall disturb the peace of any person shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

A violation of the act is punishable by a fine of not less than $300 nor more than $1000 and imprisonment in the District jail or workhouse for not less than thirty days nor more than one year; and a repetition of the offense is made a felony, punishable by not less than one year nor more than two years' imprisonment.

The peculiarity of this law is that under it only pure alcohol and a limited quantity of sacramental wine can be lawfully transported or possessed by any person. A resident of the District of Columbia, or a stranger entering the District, who should have in his cupboard or on his person a half-pint flask of whisky, brandy, rum, cordial or bitters, or a small bottle of ale, porter, beer or hard cider, would render himself liable to a fine of $300 to $1000 and imprisonment from thirty days to one year.

Our Senator, Mr. Works, with his accustomed candor, objected to the transportation, admission or possession of alcohol for medicinal purposes. He declared that alcohol has no medicinal qualities or virtues at all.

Senator Smoot and Senator Works were both in error in stating that alcohol has no medicinal properties. It is a raw material in ether and in chloroform, both of which are anesthetics in cases of surgery. It is a raw material of ethyl chloride, a local anesthetic in cases of minor surgery. It is a raw material in what is known as ethyl carbonate, a hypnotic in cases of tetanus or lockjaw. It is a constituent element of chloral, which is used as a hypnotic in many diseases; also in formaldehyde, treanol and sulfanol. It is a raw material in aspirin, which is used as a sedative in cases of headache and rheumatism. It is used as a solvent in camphor, which is a stimulant in many diseases—such contagious diseases as cholera. It is used in the shape of collodion in cases of cardiac palpitation and other forms of heart disease.

Senator Works also objected to the admission, possession or use of wine for sacramental purposes. He said: "It is just as true that there is no spiritual virtue in wine as that there is no medicinal quality in alcohol, and, to my mind, it has become only a matter of form that might very well be dispensed with and something else substituted in its place. In the interest of good morals I think the time will come when the ministers of the different churches will come to that conclusion, and that its use will be entirely done away with, as I think it should."

Senator Reed asked of Senator Smoot: "Suppose a man was to go to a Turkish bath, as occasionally men do, and, having taken his bath and desiring to escape catching a cold, should ask to have an alcohol rub, who would have to get the permit for that rub?"

Senator Smoot replied: "I do not think it is necessary at all to have an alcoholic rub after a Turkish bath."

Senator Reed suggested that some people regard alcohol as necessary in the bath; some people regard soap as necessary; some people are content with merely water, and some people regard baths as unhealthful.

Senator Smoot was not to be diverted from his hostility to alcohol. He declared that every man and woman in the District could have all the baths they desired and just as good baths as they are used to if there never was an ounce of alcohol brought into the District. He urged the prohibition of all uses of alcohol.

However strict a law may be made against the manufacture, transportation, vending or possession of alcoholic beverages, to extend such law to alcohol itself as Senator Smoot proposes would be an act of supreme folly. The industrial uses of alcohol as a fuel and as a lighting agent are as yet only beginning their development, and it seems not improbable that the time is not so far off when mankind will depend mainly on alcohol or its derivatives for many of the purposes for which natural gas, petroleum derivatives and even coal are now used. Of course most, if not all, of these applications will involve the use of denatured alcohol, but to obtain denatured alcohol it is first necessary to make undenatured alcohol.

In a book entitled "Industrial Alcohol," published in London by J. G. McIntosh, it is said:

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NO DESERT.

The figures tell the story. Behind their caballistic appearance is the truth—and frequently truth is stranger than fiction. Listen to the figures for Tulare county. Here is a section for many years regarded as part of the desert, but now like a veritable Garden of Eden. During the year just completed this county sold to eastern people $2,600,000 worth of oranges. There were 4600 standard cars shipped. But this is only a small part of the products of the county which is rapidly becoming an important part of the State. It represents the energy and the ambition of many thousands of Californians; and their ability to create in what was once termed a barren country a rich productive section is an achievement worthy of the highest commendation.

There will be a merry war with union labor if President Wilson carries out his threat to have legislation enacted by Congress making labor disputes subject to compulsory arbitration. The enthusiasm of Sam Gompers and the "Big Four" for the President has cooled since the days of the Adamson law legislation, when it was anything to get votes for Wilson. The fact is, the Adamson law is a thing that President Wilson does not want since he has had time to look it over.

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The recall of the Mexican Ambassador from Washington indicates a break between the Wilson and the Carranza governments. The crisis below the line is again looming. The time when something must be done in Mexican affairs is approaching. The inevitable is at hand.

Midwinter Greetings.

JUST JOLLYING YOU.

"Football," cried the old gentleman in the bar of the saloon, "is a sin and a disgrace! Football," he continued, thumping the table with his fist, "is an abomination and a blot on civilization! The very name of football," he shouted, sweeping two glasses and a "schooner" off the board in his excitement—"the very name of football is enough to make a decent man go and hang himself out of pure disgust!"

"The gentleman seems to feel rather deeply on the subject," said a commercial traveler, who had been listening to his remarks.

"He does," assented one of the natives.

"Has he lost something on a match?" inquired the drummer.

"He has so. Had a relative killed at one," replied the other oracularly.

"What relative was it?" asked the querist.

"His wife's first husband!" was the response.

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It was on a local train. The ancient engine, having wheezed laboriously at rails, jolted to a restful stop at no place in particular. Time passed tediously; some of the passengers looked anxiously out of the windows, while others drew their hats down over their eyes and tried to forget it. When half an hour had elapsed the conductor came along.

"Hi! conductor," said a querulous old gentleman, "why are we stopping?"

"We're taking in water," was the explanation.

"Well, why on earth don't you get another teaspoon?"

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"Does your wife pay you any compliments?" asked Frederick Jimson of his friend, Benderly.

"Never," replied Benderly.

"Well, mine does; she flatters me."

"Often?"

"Oh, yes, frequently—particularly in winter," replied Frederick.

"Why does she flatter you so much in the winter?"

"Whenever the coal fire needs replenishing she points to the fireplace and says, 'Frederick the grate.'"

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Mrs. Simpson had taken her little daughter out to tea with her, and during the meal was horrified to see the child trying to force a thick piece of bread into a very small pocket.

"Why, Marion," she said in shocked surprise, "what on earth are you doing?"

"That's all right, mother," her small daughter assured her. "I'm just taking this slice back to nursie for a pattern."

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The manager of Kidem's great menagerie had induced all the crowd to become patrons, except one individual, who stood gazing up at him with mouth agape.

"Right in this way, sir, if you wish to see some deer stalking," shouted the animal king.

"No fear, lad," came the reply. "I was in yesterday and none of 'em said a bloomin' word."

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A would-be funny youth, while strolling through a provincial town during a holiday, saw a notice in a shop window: "If you don't see what you want, ask for it."

He thought he would show how clever he was, so, stepping inside, he said to the proprietor:

"I don't see what I want."

"Then ask for it," said the proprietor.

"Well, I've asked all over the town for it and I cannot find one."

"I've got everything a man can want," said the other encouragingly.

"Well, I have found so many smart men in this town that I want to find a first-class idiot."

"John," said the smiling merchant, turning to his assistant, "bring a looking glass and let this gentleman look at himself."

REFORMING CRIMINALS

Some Method Should be Adopted to Neutralize Curse of Prison Life.

[Outlook:] When our criminal gets out of prison he has by this time paid his debt to society—his account should be closed, crossed off the books, says G. S. Dougherty, former chief of detectives, New York City. But this is what happens: We force him to be a prevaricator. If he tries to get a job he knows that if he admits that he has "done time" it will queer him. He will be shunned, and shunned, and shunned—"passed up" by everybody who knows him to be an ex-convict.

Even when he does get honest work and is prosperous and happy some loathsome person—possibly a fellow "ex" or an unconvicted detective or policeman with the soul of a shrimp and a mind as narrow as a string—betrays him, gives him up to his employer. Then he loses his job. Wherever he goes the curse follows him. Is it any wonder that he goes back to crime?

Reformers urge that the ex-convict should start life all over again. But they don't tell him where or how to start. The trouble is we are all so narrow and dishonest that we try to force a helpless man to keep on paying his debt after he's already squared it with the state.

One has no idea how easy it is to convict a man on his record. Where a man should be given the benefit of the doubt a jury of self-righteous "boneheads" will say "He's an ex-convict, and he probably did it."

The most remarkable cases of reformation of criminals that I have known were where certain courageous, wholesome decent women married ex-convicts, knowing all about them, and succeeded in working them back to manhood and decency. I don't know of any greater captains of industry than these self-same women, because in these cases they have reclaimed the men not only economically but morally.

Details Lacking.

[Mercyville (Iowa) Banner:] Clare Duffy, the efficient foreman of our powder mill, went up Thursday.

THE NEW LEAF.

BY EUGENE BROWN.

We have with us this morning the infant prodigy—1917—of whom great things are expected. His immediate predecessor was a pretty good sort, but now that he has closed the door and fled, some of his frailties have been disclosed.

However, let bygones be bygones. The new leaf is a clean one and the record is to be made. If performance squares with promise it will be a glowing one. While a section of the world has gone daffy over the gospel of efficiency and has sought to solve all problems by measurement or machinery, as a matter of fact men have become more considerate of one another—more thoughtful of their possibilities and needs.

Things have happened which make me less eager to fly at the throat of the party who takes up a piece of my road. I have found that, after all, there is room for us both. There is air and sunshine a-plenty and opportunity is smilingly accessible to all. Men of brain and men of brawn have attained a common understanding and are learning how they must depend upon one another. Capital and labor are coming to trust one another and find that both are white. There are a lot of prophets of gloom—bearers of mournful tidings, but in spite of their portentous preachments the world is not going to the bow-wows. We are not on the verge of social and industrial revolution—that is of the blood-letting and terrifying sort. We are not encamped on the lava-lined edge of a bustiferous volcano. Corporations, which have no souls, are found to have hearts and hands, and the people, instead of baiting them, are learning to use them for bait. There is a more kindly co-operation of men and money, and workers are finding that their real interests lie closer with the employer than with the walking delegate. Profit-sharing and co-operative industry are extending their lines every day. The man who labors has found that it is not necessary that he should have a constant quarrel with the man who pays him wages. Bonuses, divisions of dividends, increasing of wages and shortening of hours offered voluntarily by certain large corporations—show that long and faithful service is appreciated and may advantageously share in the results. The temper of the times is not to bully-rag every man who happens to have money or to slight every man who has to work for it.

The undesirables and left-overs of old-world conflict will not invade our shores in large numbers to take the industrial places of our own citizenry. In fact there will be no undesirables, as the discipline and stress of service makes capable men out of the most unpromising material. These will have sufficient call and occupation at home without wandering overseas. The world will much readier adjust itself to peace, and our portion in such adjustment will be neither slight nor ignoble. There is small fear that anarchy or Socialism will disrupt a nation. When it comes to the real test ninety-nine men out of every hundred hold a hearty and abiding affection for their country—just as she stands—and the hundredth man is as impotent as a wisp of willow in the wind.

All things have not been as we would have wished. We have had to give and take some pretty hard knocks, but this is not such a rough old world after all, and the pursuit of happiness and the business of marrying and giving in marriage will go cheerily on.

So far as our finely-flavored burg of Los Angeles is concerned, there is nothing much to worry about in computing the probable record for the new leaf. The town is rapidly recovering from a touch of chills and fever, and the pulse is once more normal and strong. Industry and ease are being mixed in a more promising combination. The city may not be as giddy as of yore, but a hint of solidity and sedateness is not amiss in a place that has a pueblo history reaching back to the days 150 years ago when Gaspar de Portola discovered the Downey-street bridge.

But if the city be not giddy, neither will it be tame. There are too many election days to suffer it to fall into trust or rut. There is always something happening in Los Angeles, and if you pause on the corner for a moment you can hear the band play for the coming parade.

Mourn not, oh foolish one, neither check up the past in dismay. That which is before is refreshing to the eye and blithesome to the heart.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

THE NEW YEAR.

The New Year's knocking at the door; we greet him with a smile. "Oh, hang your hat upon the floor, sit down and stay a while!" The New Year fills us all with hope of blessings we may share; and yet, according to the dope, such hopes are all a snare. Remember how, a year ago, we welcomed sweet Sixteen and how our mouths worked to and fro with smiles that were serene? And then it brought financial wreck to many weary gents; potatoes sixty cents a peck, and eggs at fifty cents. It brought us drouth, H. C. of L., more war across the seas; but why, fair reader, should we dwell on painful things like these? The New Year's hanging round the place; come in, New Year, come in; to greet you with a gloomy face would surely be a sin. Come in, what are you waiting for? We welcome you with songs; perhaps you'll put an end to war and regulate all wrongs. Perhaps you'll bring the hungry kid a biscuit or a roll, equip the widow with a lid, the freezing man with coal. Perhaps you'll scourge the soulless crew that speculates in wheat, and split the robber coat in two on things the poor folk eat. Come in, New Year, the latchstring's out, we welcome you some more; just make yourself at home, old scout, slide down our cellar door. WALT MASON.

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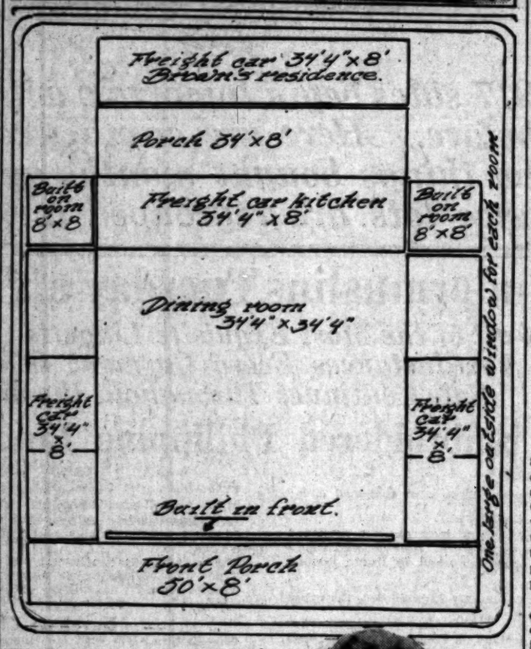
Making a Modern Hotel of Box Cars.



His Viewpoint.

CITES PRECEDENT OF PORTSMOUTH.

JAPANESE HOPES INVITATION WILL BE ACCEPTED.

Declares Nippon will Respond to Advice of President so Far as Ties with Allies will Permit, and Urges Advantages of Los Angeles for Peace Conference.

T. Sakabe, editor-in-chief of the Los Angeles Japanese Daily News, or The Rafu Shimpo, most interestingly discusses the attitude of the Japanese regarding the proposed peace conference, and their hope that the invitation of Los Angeles, offering the hospitality of this city for the meeting, will be accepted.

"We love the spirit of peace that exists in Los Angeles," said Mr. Sakabe, "and applaud the enterprise of this city. The Japanese here are with it in heart and spirit.

"The news that the Central Powers appealed to the Allies for peace, through President Wilson, has stricken so suddenly the heart of all nations as the thunders and lightning upon unexpected blue sky; whose pulse trembled with joy and anxiety to be realized here upon the promotion for the peace offered by the noble President to the belligerent nations and neutrals and hear the responding nations' governments are taking steps earnestly.

"Since the Allies agreed with each other that no one of them shall make the peace with the enemy separately, so the dawn of conference for peace shall be very far on the way, as it takes the long process of the negotiation to fix the matter among themselves; however, the glimpse of peace settlement is not far upon the horizon of the hope, as we hear its footsteps are becoming louder each minute, and we welcome them with full joys.

"Then what would be the attitude of Japan? We are on the Allies' side, as all the world knows well, but practically are doing nothing more than what the neutrals are doing. As a consequence, we are profiting by the bitter harvest of the war which our allies are suffering, and from financial and economical points the longer the war goes the more we profit, just as is the case with the people of the United States.

"But we are not such a mean country as to be eager to grasp the opportunity by neglecting the other's interest; and we have no hesitation to declare that Japan, which is very keen for international moral sense, will respond to the advice of President Wilson, so far as the international responsibility with our allies permit, for it is the Japanese sentiment that she shall stand up at any moment when the rights call upon her, no matter how dearly it costs.

"The war is the destroyer of the international morale, and the peace conference is the cure for it. The result of the wicked struggles of two years and a half is a warning, even to the belligerent nations, that decisive victory for either side is far beyond foresight, and it would be better that they would come to peace negotiations, provided their honor is respected, than that they would continue their vain struggles. Yes, the time has come when the peace problem is not matter of useless chattering, but is the practical and vital matter at hand.

"The keenness of our friend, I mean the American, we appreciate; also that peace problem is on the practical table, realizing its forms step by step. Our next question is where the honorable location of the peace conference shall be chosen.

"Since America has the good precedent that the modern great war was pacified upon American soil, through the effort of ex-President Roosevelt, there is no room for questioning the fitness of the United States for the proposed peace conference. The President has invited both sides of the belligerents to come to face for the peace settlement. The city selected will be honored by the choice.

"Then the further question would be what honorable location among American cities shall be chosen?

"The wire from Washington, dated two days ago, tells us that the city of Los Angeles offered her hand to welcome this honor. We admired its sagacity and rejoice in the enterprise, naturally, as we reside in this present paradise and we hope that her wish will be realized.

"Allow us to judge about the suitableness of the location. The city is quite far from the battlefields and the citizens have kept a more neutral sentiment than others where the interests of the inhabitants are involved with the war. The size of the city is proper for the location; the climate is ideal, the beauties of the surroundings are admirable and the latitude is situated just half-way between the interested nations.

"We are fortunate to participate in such a noble and seasonable enterprise and declare that we are ready to do our best to co-operate with the city that it should be so blessed with the favor of being selected for the peace conference."

George Brown, et al.

The picture shows both the exterior and floor plan of the extraordinary building that Mr. Brown is erecting at Owenyo.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union for W. H. Chase, Miss Grayse Clair, A. E. Barmayer, H. A. Brown, Miss Edith Eamrener, Miss Madeline Fairschild, George M. Fish, Alberto Fenazars, A. D. Findlay, Georgie Gritteth, Josie Hanlon, Charles W. Hoffman, Curtis Jerome, S. A. Joseph, W. E. Keller, Miss L. J. Kendall, O. W. Lehmer, Miss Jine Martin, Helen Poole, William Penn and F. E. Quick; Postal: J. C. Rankin, Mrs. N. B. Woodward, P. B. Shealher, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kavanagh, M. K. Kodger and Fred M. Johnson; cablegrams for Eugene Kidd, Nikolay Adalsaft, Matsushita, Yaso Koikawa.

Lethal.

GAS MENACES FAMILY.

Husband, Wife and Two Children in Peril as Carbon Monoxide Fumes From Water Heater Overcome Them; Help Summoned in Time by Osteries.

Papa Block's bath brought the Block household near to tragedy yesterday. In the home, No. 975 Court Circle, he prepared the bathroom for the ablution and started the water heater. Then he called his son, Harry, 14 years old, to rub his back. The father in the tub and the son bending laboriously over him suddenly became dazed and listless, and presently unconscious.

The fumes of monoxide gas spread to the outer room and affected Mrs. Block and her daughter Sarah, 12 years old. They were able to reach a door and shout for help. The mother and the children were taken to the Receiving Hospital for treatment. The father had been revived without difficulty.

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KUSEL, 306-7 Stimson Bldg., Third and Spring. Established fourteen years. Bank references.

Settled.

NO PROSECUTIONS NOW.

All Serene in Raisin Industry, Federal Officials Report, and Reasons for Investigation, on Score of Violating Anti-trust Act, are Not at Hand.

Federal officials stated yesterday that there is no reason to believe that anybody will be prosecuted in connection with the raisin industry in Fresno county, as a result of information laid before the United States District Attorney. In fact, nothing has been recently turned over to this official by the Federal investigators. Some time ago, complaints were made along certain lines, but the situation has been remedied, and since there has been no reason for any special inquiry or investigation.

Even then the charges or allegations, it is stated, were not especially impressive, but they were taken up in the regular course of business, and there has been an end of the alleged infractions of the Sherman anti-trust act. There is absolutely nothing in the conduct of the affairs of the Fresno county raisin men, it is stated, to make necessary any recommendations looking to a prosecution under the current high cost of living investigation.

House-warming.

PACIFIC ELECTRIC CLUB OPENS TODAY.

AS GIFT OF COMPANY'S HEAD TO THE EMPLOYEES.

Initial Exercises will be in Seven Entertainments, Because of the Number of Those Interested and the Exigencies of the Service. Quarters Well Fitted.

The Pacific Electric Club, No. 421 South Hill street, which has been equipped by President Paul Shoup at an initial cost of more than $20,000, as a New Year's gift to the 200 women and 4000 men employed by the company, will be thrown open tonight to the inspection of employees and their families, at a promnade concert.

Because of the large number of employees interested, and the requirements of the service, the opning exercises will be divided into seven entertainments, the first tonight, the second tomorrow evening, a third tomorrow afternoon and a dance tomorrow night. Wednesday morning, afternoon and evening an entirely different programme will be given.

The club has been fitted up in the most elaborate fashion of any railway club in the West. On the first floor is recital hall, equipped with ballroom floor, a stage, a Chickering grand piano, and a moving-picture projection-room, fully equipped.

The clubrooms, which occupy the second and third floors, consist of a small assembly hall and lecture-room capable of seating 140 persons, a band locker-room, a band clubroom, special quarters for the Pacific Electric Rod, Reel and Gun Club, with a locker and private clubroom for the Pacific Electric ball teams.

The club's library contains more than 1000 volumes and all magazines, and in addition, the Los Angeles Public Library will install a club branch.

The lounge, which is furnished in Spanish oak and leather, contains a second concert grand piano and a phonograph of the largest size.

The poolroom is equipped with four tables, while a private cardroom is shut off from the poolroom by French doors.

The club's music-room contains an upright piano and musical library and is to be used for rehearsal purposes.

In addition a separate wing of the building has been fully equipped in wicker and old rose as a women's annex.

The club will be formally turned over by President Shoup to President F. L. Annable of the club on Wednesday night. E. C. Thomas, formerly advertising manager of the Pacific Electric, is manager of the new club.

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We Wish You
Happy New Year!
Stault's
336 SOUTH BROADWAY

7:30 a. m.
8:45 a. m.
9:00 a. m.
9:15 a. m.
9:30 a. m.
9:45 a. m.
10:00 a. m.
Special Trains to
Pasadena
Rose Tournament
On Santa Fe
Santa Fe Monday

To Accept Call.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL PASTOR RESIGNS POST.

DR. WILLIAM HORACE DAY, who for more than fifteen years has been pastor of the First Congregational Church of this city, yesterday tendered his formal resignation as pastor to accept the unanimous call of the United Church of Bridgeport, Ct. The resignation will take effect February 1, and in tendering the same Dr. Day asked the congregation to meet next Wednesday and formally accept it. The letter of resignation was read by Dr. Robert R. Meredith of Pasadena, following the morning service.

The service opened with the rendering of the Christmas cantata "The Holy Infant," by the vested chorus choir and soloists, under the direction of G. Haydn Jones, which was repeated from last Sunday. Dr. Day preached a sermon most appropriate to the last Sunday of the old year on the subject of "Forgiveness." Immediately at the close of the sermon he retired from the pulpit and Dr. Meredith came forward and read Dr. Day's formal resignation, prefacing it with a few words of reminiscence of the work wrought in this church by Dr. Day and his father, the late Dr. Warren F. Day, who assumed the pastorate in 1894, with a membership of 400, which has now grown to more than 2000. Dr. Meredith said:

"When I came here Dr. Warren Finney Day, whose memory is as ointment poured forth in this church and in this community, met me with all the brotherly love and welcome and encouragement possible. The first service I rendered in Southern California out of Pasadena was when, at his invitation, I came to you in the old church to preach the gospel in connection with the service of recognition of Dr. William Horace Day in association with his honored father. I have been with you many times since, and always esteemed it a privilege and found it a joy."

In his letter to the congregation Dr. Day said, in part:

"An urgent and unanimous call has been given to me to become pastor of the United Church of Bridgeport, Ct., and while at first I thought it was impossible for me to think of my duty as outside Los Angeles, I finally, after due and deep consideration and prayer, concluded, though reluctantly, to face the issue and accept the call."

Dr. Day thanked his congregation for their loyalty during the years of his ministry, recalling especially the sympathy and love that was bestowed at the time of death of his father.

Sarcasm.

WANTS TO GIVE UP CITY FIRE ENGINES.

VENICE MAYOR THINKS THIS WOULD REDUCE DEBT.

Moves for Surrender of Maier Pier if it Can be Legally Done. Trustees Adjourn Till Friday and Meantime Citizens Perfect Plans to Oust All Trustees.

Echoes of the political turmoil precipitated by the request of a citizens' committee for the resignations of all five of the City Trustees, was heard yesterday afternoon at a meeting of these officials. On the eve of the third meeting of the committee, to be held tonight in the St. Mark's Hotel, some of the Trustees, especially those at whom the political ax is aimed, suggested in open meeting various properties of the city be sold to rid Venice of debt. These suggestions, both made by Mayor E. A. Gerety, were supposed to be aimed at the citizens' committee.

"Since they are asking us to reduce our debt and say we have spent too much," said Mayor Gerety, "I move we return the fire apparatus, now being bought on installments."

This met with vigorous opposition from Trustee J. J. Lewis, who said he would resign as head of the Fire Committee if such action were taken. No second was made.

The Mayor then suggested selling the Maier pier, providing the title will permit such a sale. No second was made to this motion, but Trustee Smart said he thought the titles should be investigated.

The Trustees adjourned until Friday afternoon. Though none of them would admit it, it was understood the meeting was set for Friday to see what action the committee of citizens takes. It was understood at least two of the Trustees, Mayor Gerety and Trustee Smart, would not attend the meeting tonight. Both of these Trustees still say they will not resign.

FOR BRANCH RAILROAD.

The Southern Pacific Company has filed with the Railroad Commission an application for authority to build a branch line at grade across certain public highways between Calipatria and Westmoreland, Imperial county.

"Take Time by the Forelock."
Telephone your Sunday ads. to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

Wishing you a Happy & Prosperous New Year

We Wish You
A
Very Happy and Prosperous New Year

JESBERGS Walk-Over BOOT SHOPS
632 SOUTH BROADWAY AND FOURTH & SPRING STS

DR. HUTCHASON The Reliable Dentist, 332 S. Hope.

Time and Tide

Annual Message

Given to the Employees of Harris & Frank by their President, Mr. H. W. Frank.

In his "Tribute to Business," Dr. Frank Crane wrote: "Business is progress. It does not consist in wheedling people to deal with you once, that you may overcharge them, but it consists in treating customers so that they will come back. The pleased customer means accumulated progress."

"Through the years down to the present day, I have tried to interpret that spirit—to emulate that example—to put into this business all the honesty of purpose, the sincerity of service that alone pays in the end.

"Have I been selfish in this? Well, perhaps when you consider that enduring permanency can only be built on the foundation of truth—and yet my purpose is not unlike the purpose of every merchant in Los Angeles who has succeeded with the years.

"A man can do nothing for himself—without the help of others he is as nothing. The problems he must solve must be solved with the aid of those with whom he surrounds himself. And so at the close of the old year, and on the eve of the new one, I want to express my gratitude to the salesforce and helpers of this business. What success has been met with is your success. What has been done, you have done—the magnificent spirit you have put into this store is what has made it a delightful place to buy. You have by diligent work brought to this firm a clientele of loyal customers who take pleasure in visiting with us for their needs.

"And now—what for 1917—a year of promise—365 days of progress and development—a year that means more to California than all the wonderful years of our past. Yes, for 1917 we are preparing to serve a greater part of the people of Los Angeles—we want more of them to know that here can be found a friendly kind of store, with a neighborly sort of service—and merchandise of merit at prices that carry their own standard of value.

"I need not remind you in closing that you are the representatives of Harris and Frank. When you meet a customer—what you say and do is said and done in the name of the firm—the responsibility is yours. I know how well you can use it.

"H. W. FRANK."

Harris & Frank
437-443 SOUTH SPRING ST.

750 Yards New White Corduroy Sale $1 yd.

This material is unusually fine — possessed of great wearing quality and it launders perfectly.

Such material is bound to meet with immediate approval for early Spring sports suits.

27 and 36 inches wide and worth more money.

—Sale Held First Floor—

Clearance of Furs— Prices Reduced 1/3

A better opportunity than has been offered to you in months to save noticeable amounts on furs of fashion. The stock includes, among others, pieces of ermine, mole and Hudson seal.

—First Floor—

VILLE DE PARIS

317-325 SO. BROADWAY — 312-322 SO. HILL STREET

50 Beautiful Trimmed Hats Reduced to $3.95

Just 50 and no more at this clearance price. No two are alike and you may seek personal taste in colors or choose a hat of all black.

Shapes that are fashionable today and modishly trimmed.

—First Floor—

Sheets and Pillow Cases in the Sale

A collection of high quality, bleached muslin sheets and cases that should have been marked more than their sale prices. Heavyweights and fine qualities; seamless.

	Each.
Pillow Cases, 42x36 in.,	22½c
Pillow Cases, 45x36 in.,	25c
Sheets, 72x99 in.,	$1.00
Sheets, 81x90 in.,	$1.00
Sheets, 81x99 in.,	$1.10
Sheets, 81x108 in.,	$1.25

—First Floor—

Unusual in scope—great in potential money savings—these first 1917 sales begin tomorrow with perhaps greater sums of money invested in fine merchandise than ever before. Here are combined "White Sales" and sales of other goods not properly called "white." New things bought months ago marked so low as to warrant the attention of every woman, and clearance lots are regrouped and repriced

Top o' the Year Sale of Fine Wash Dresses for Women

Begins tomorrow with nearly 1000 Frocks at the very unusual price $8.85

An annual event which hundreds of women anticipate for they know that no better opportunity comes to outfit themselves for spring at such exceptionally low cost.

January $8.85 Sale Price

Exquisite voiles, both plain white and charmingly designed in colored patterns.

Beautiful lawn dresses with embroidered bands. Charmingly printed and woven stripe fabrics as well as gabardines and linens. Many sports effects in wash suits—and sports styles are again pointed out as very good style this coming season.

We cannot too strongly emphasize the extraordinary lowness of price. We cannot too strongly point out to you economy reasons for your attendance here tomorrow.

January Sale of Fine Linens

The women who buy during this event make savings so substantial that their money does more than usual duty. Some groups are extensive—others small, so we advise early buying.

24-in. Dinner Napkins, $5 Dozen

Pure Irish linen; heavy weight; snow white soft satin finish. A large assortment of desirable designs.

Damask Pattern Table Cloths, Priced Special

Pure Irish linen; good weight and fine weave. Soft snow white satin finish. A good assortment of small, neat designs.
Size 2x2 yards, $3.50 each.
Size 2x2½ yards, $4.25 each.

Damask Pattern Table Cloths, $4.65

Pure Irish linen; heavy weight; beautiful satin finish. Large assortment of choice designs. Size 2x2½ yards.

Satin Damask Pattern Table Cloths, $3.25 Ea.

2x2 yards; very heavy weight; close weave; fully bleached; satin finish; neat designs.

Damask Pattern Table Cloths

Pure Irish linen, double satin damask; fine weave; heavy weight; fully bleached; soft satin finish. Choice designs.
Size 2x2 yards, $4.95 each.
Size 2x2½ yards, $5.95 each.

Extra Large Size Damask Pattern Table Cloths

Pure Irish linen double satin damask; very heavyweight; fine weaves; fully bleached. Remarkably underpriced.
Size 2½x2½ yards, $7.50.
Size 2½x3 yards, $12.00.
Size 2½x3½ yards, $14.00.
Size 3½x4 yards, $16.00.

Bleached Irish Satin Damask, 95c Yd.

70 inches; heavyweight; soft finish; neat designs.

Damask Breakfast Cloths, $1.00 Each

Size 45x45 ins.; heavyweight; bleached; soft satin finish; neat designs.

Damask Breakfast Cloths, $2.00 Each

Size 45x45 ins.; pure Irish linen; heavy weight; fine weave; beautiful satin finish; desirable designs.

Bleached Irish Satin Damask, $1.25 Yd.

70 inches; extra heavyweight; fine weave; soft finish; large assortment of good designs.

70-in. Bleached Damask, $1.50 Yd.

Very heavyweight; fine weave; soft satin finish; choice designs.

Bleached Satin Damask, $1.75 Yd.

Pure Irish linen; heavyweight; fine quality. Large assortment of good designs; 2 yards wide.

72-in. Table Damask, $2 Yd.

Pure Irish linen; heavyweight; soft snow white satin finish; new designs.

Hemstitched Huck Towels, 50c Ea.

25 dozen; large size; neat assortment of damask border designs.

Hemstitched Huck Towels, 25c Ea.

Large size; heavyweight; plain or figured borders.

Hemmed Huck Towels, $1.65 Doz.

Good size; heavyweight; pure white; remarkable values.

100 Doz. Turkish Bath Towels, 30c Ea.

Bleached; very heavyweight; double thread; hemmed ends; large size.

Bleached Turkish Bath Towels, 25c Ea.

Double thread; heavyweight; hemmed ends; 22x44 inches.

Turkish Bath Towels, 50c Ea.

Extra large; heavyweight; double thread; hemmed ends; all white or with red or blue borders; good values.

Damask Dinner Napkins, $6 Dozen

24 inches; pure Irish linen satin damask; very heavy; fine weave; fully bleached. Good assortment of choice designs.

Damask Dinner Napkins, $7.25 Dozen

Large size; heavy weight; pure Irish linen satin damask; fine weave; large variety of choice patterns.

Pure Linen Damask Napkins, $3.50 Doz.

50 dozen; hemmed; good size; heavy weight; fully bleached; neat and desirable designs.

Damask Dinner Napkins, $3.95 Dozen

22 inches; heavy weight; close weave; satin finish; good designs; pure Irish linen.

Damask Dinner Napkins, $4.25 Dozen

22 inches; pure Irish linen; heavy weight; beautiful snow white, soft, satin finish; choice designs.

Most Remarkable Bargains in a Special Sale of Manufacturer's Sample Linens

A manufacturer of a line of America's foremost linens sent his salesman to us with his sample books out of which we took this sale assortment.

The values are positively amazing because in the ordinary way of trade we could hardly have bought these pieces, even at wholesale, for the prices at which we shall sell them beginning tomorrow.

All pure linen in qualities from medium to very highest grades. Quite true, some of them are soiled, but a washing will restore their freshness.

There are so many pieces and so many prices that we cannot give a comprehensive list of them in an advertisement. The way for you to determine prices and values is to examine this wonderful lot personally.

Hemstitched damask table cloths.
Scalloped damask table cloths.
Unfinished damask table cloths.
Banquet-size cloths.
Dinner napkins.
Tea napkins.
Dresser scarfs.
Tray cloths.
Lunch cloths.
Huck towels.
Damask towels.

—First Floor—

Beautiful Undermuslins Tuesday at Sale Prices

Sale Tables Full of the Most Exquisite Lingerie Await You; Except in a Few Instances Every Garment Is of Pristine Newness. Sale Continues Throughout the Month.

Hand Embroidered Philippine Lingerie

Gowns

$1.85—Nainsook; round and V-neck; three-point scalloped edge; kimono sleeves.

$2.85—Nainsook; two styles; V-neck with three-point scalloped edge, embroidered and finished with punch work. Another with round neck, scalloped edge, embroidery designs worked in front; kimono sleeves.

$3.45—Two styles in nainsook; one neatly embroidered, the other in more elaborate designs with punch work.

$3.85—Nainsook; embroidered designs on front and sleeves. One style with large eyelets giving Empire effect, other with insets of lace insertion.

$4.85—Nainsook; two styles; one square neck, embroidered, kimono sleeves; other V-neck, Empire style, punch work medallions and embroidery; kimono sleeves.

$5.85—Nainsook; one style V-neck, and embroidered; another V-neck and embroidered and lace trimmed; made Empire effect.

$6.85—Square and round necks; fine nainsook; embroidered and combined with lace and punch work medallions; straight and Empire styles; kimono sleeves.

Straight Chemises

$1.45—Plain with 5-point scalloped edge.
$1.85—Embroidered with 3-point scalloped edge.
$2.15—Embroidered in dots with 5-point scalloped edge.
$2.45—Embroidered and neat punch work designs; plain scalloped edge.
$2.85—Nainsook; neatly embroidered.
$3.45—Two styles; punch work and daintily embroidered.
$3.85—Nainsook; medallions of punch work and beautifully embroidered.

Envelope Chemises

95c—Empire style with lace insertion and organdie embroidery; embroidery beading; satin ribbon.
$1.85—Nainsook; plain with 3-point scalloped edge.
$2.45—V-neck; Empire affect; fine tucks; lace insertion.
$2.85—Nainsook; embroidered in neat designs; full flare skirt.
$3.45—Round and V-neck; embroidered in neat designs.
$3.85 to $5.85—Number of good styles; embroidered in neat and fancy designs; most of them combined with punch work.

Corset Covers

A number of different styles. Fitted at waist, made without peplums, and embroidered in neat and fancy patterns. Prices range $2.50 to $4.

American Muslin Underwear

Gowns

95c—Good nainsook; Empire style; lace trimmed.
Polka-dotted crepe; Empire style; hemstitched.
Pink batiste; Empire style; hemstitched.
Pink and blue striped batiste; Empire style; lace trimmed.
Cambric; high neck style; full length sleeves; embroidery yokes.
$1.15—Soft nainsook; lace and embroidery trimmed.
$1.45—Sheer nainsook; neatly trimmed with lace and embroidery.
$1.85—Sheer nainsook; lace trimmed. Some embroidered medallions; others combined with insertions of organdie embroidery; straight and Empire styles.
$2.15—Nainsook; straight and Empire styles; with or without sleeves; lace and embroidery trimming; pink and blue satin ribbon bows.
$2.45—Nainsook; trimmed with Venetian filet insertion and edge; finished with satin ribbon bows.
$2.85—Sheer nainsook; straight and Empire styles; lace and organdie embroidery yokes; satin ribbon and rose-bud trimmings.
$3.15—Straight and Empire styles; front and back lace trimmed. Some with embroidered medallions.

Envelope Chemises

95c—Good nainsook; Empire style with net yoke; lace trimmed.
$1.25—Fine nainsook; neat embroidered edge.
$1.45—Soft nainsook; embroidered medallions and lace trimmed.
$1.85—Sheer nainsook; lace trimmed front and back with embroidered medallions; flare skirt. Others of nainsook neatly trimmed with Venitian filet insertion and filet edge.
$1.85—Fine nainsook; trimmed with embroidery and lace medallions.
$2.15—Empire style; yoke of Val. insertion and organdie embroider.
$2.85—Empire style; sleeveless; trimmed with delicate embroidery and Val. lace and satin ribbon bows.
$2.85—Fine lawn; Empire style; lace trimmed; finished with ribbon bows.
$3.45—Fine nainsook; organdie embroidery and Val. lace and insertion trimmed; with fine tucks.
$3.85—Fine nainsook; elaborate yoke of lace and embroidery; lace shoulder straps; satin ribbon bows.
$3.85—Nainsook; Empire style; front and back lace trimmed; satin ribbons and chiffon rosebud trimming; ribbon shoulder straps.

Petticoats

95c—Pique and sateen; flounce finished with scalloped edge. Some of cambric with embroidered flounce and underlay.
$1.45—Several styles; good cambric; deep embroidered flounce with underlay.
$1.85—Several styles; deep flounce of Val lace insertion and embroidery; have underlay; some Val. lace edged.
$2.15—Flounces of lace insertion. Others lace trimmed and combined with organdie embroidery; have underlay; some edged with lace.
$2.85—Cambric; full flounces of lace and organdie embroidery. Some trimmed with medallions. Other styles with embroidery insertion and embroidery flounces.
$3.85—Deep flounces of lace and insertion; trimming of lace beading and satin ribbon; some finished with rose buds. Underlay with lawn ruffles edged with lace.
$4.15—Excellent quality cambric; deep and full flounce of lace and organdie embroidery. Underlay edged with lace.

Princess Slips

$1.25—Cambric; top and flounce of lace.
$2.45—Fine cambric; embroidered medallions and insertions combined with Val. lace; full flounce; waist line. Others embroidered and finished with scalloped edge; flounce to match.

Corset Covers

50c—Fine nainsook; lace and embroidery trimmed.
75c—Soft nainsook; daintily trimmed with medallions, insertions and lace and embroidery edges.
Others specially priced at 95c and $1.25.

Drawers

50c—Fine cambric; ruffles of lace and neat embroidery.
75c—Fine cambric; some have tucks; ruffles of neat embroidery.
95c—Nainsook; some with embroidery beading and embroidered ruffles; others with ruffles of fine lace.

French Lingerie Greatly Reduced

GOWNS—reduced to $2.85, $3.95, $6.50, $8.50 and up to $27.50.
STRAIGHT CHEMISES—reduced to $1.45, $2.25, $2.45, $3.95 up to $8.50.
COMBINATIONS—reduced to $1.45, $2.45, $3.95, $6.50 and $8.50.
DRAWERS—reduced to $1.45, $2.25, $3.95 and up to $8.50.
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Dr. Joseph Feadroy, European specialist, cures all curable rupture permanently, no matter how long standing nor the age, without operation or injection nor detention from business. For further investigation call at my office, 1421 Santee Street, Los Angeles, California. Phone Broadway 4314. Hours 9 to 12, 2 to 4. Consult Sunday.

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REAL TRUTH ON POWER BONDS

Property Owners' League will Inform the Voters.

Prominent Business Men to Help Defeat Proposal.

Exclusive Campaign to Prevent More Indebtedness.

That the voting public of Los Angeles may have an opportunity to study all of the questions relative to the proposed power bond issue of $23,000,000, the Los Angeles Property Owners' League will maintain headquarters at Nos. 320-326 Van Nuys Building. The formal opening will be held on Tuesday morning and the information bureau will be in charge of Walter Little, who now has an office at No. 630 American Trust Building.

Officers are to be chosen and committeemen are to be appointed. Meetings will be held in different parts of the city. The movement is backed by business men and merchants and Washington who are interested in securing the truth. No corporation of any kind, and no other organization that may have an ulterior purpose in view, is to be given any opportunity to dictate the programme of the Property Owners' League.

GOVERNED BY VOTERS.

This statement was made definitely by Mr. Little yesterday afternoon as he outlined the work that has been planned for the organization. He declared that his organization will take orders from no one and will be governed by the will of the voters who are behind the league.

"This is a people's proposition," said Mr. Little. "We want the truth of the matter and nothing but the truth. We don't propose to be hoodwinked again, so we have laid our plans carefully, and our sources of information will be the best possible, because the information will come from disinterested persons and sources.

"We are sick and tired of promises. We also know that the public feels the same way about these many proposed bond issues. We will tell the inside facts and let the people decide what is best to be done. My experience has been that the public can be trusted to act sanely if the public is given the truth. Our job is to provide facts, and those facts will be so astounding that there is no question in my mind but what the voting public of this city will decisively defeat that proposed $12,-000,000 power bond issue."

BUSINESS MEN WORKERS.

James O. Allen, who is now in charge of affairs and who is slated for the presidency, has a plan that will call many of our well-known business men into the lists as active workers. Mr. Allen is opposed to the bonds because he says he has studied the question thoroughly. He proposes to give his information through the right sources.

"How would the people of Los Angeles like to have another fifty cent rise of 50 per cent. in their taxes?" asked Mr. Allen. "That is the substance of the scheme the present city power bond ring is attempting to impose on the taxpayers of this city in the proposed $12,000,-000 bond issue. The taxpayers will be swamped with elaborate promises of what great profits will be realized by the city upon 'coming through with a third ante.'

NEW PHASES.

"You know the other two issues proposed were first the $3,500,000 and then $6,000,000, respectively, both for this same proposition. Now the latest plan of this political coterie calls for almost double the amount of the second proposition. The public will never stand for such a proposal."

The Los Angeles Property Owners' League proposes to carry this fight into every part of the city. W. J. Mushet is to be invited to state the facts in the case. He has made a careful study of the situation and his statement will have an entirely new phase from any that has yet been presented to the voters.

Bishop.

OWENS VALLEY BOOM.

Spirit of Activity Strong in the Inyo District—Many Men Join Forces of Busy Miners—Property Near Big Pine is Leased.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BISHOP (Cal.) Dec. 30.—There never was as great a mining rush on as general and extensive development and production as are now in progress in this part of the State. Hundreds of men have been put at work during the past thirty days throughout Owens Valley and the surrounding ranges. The output of ore is so large transportation facilities are proving inadequate. Each day brings reports of new finds and the opening of new mines or the reopening of old workings.

Below Big Pine, and only 200 yards from the State highway, now in course of construction, D. F. Tanner has leased the old McMurray mine, which has produced over $40,000 gold, and is operating an 8-ton mill and concentrator. The only mill of its kind in this part of the country, and made in Los Angeles. He is making a good saving from the lower-grade dumps of many thousand tons. Near by Charles Darrow and associates are working the Tom Stone mine, out of which G. B. Cometti took $100,000 in a comparatively short time. Mr. Darrow's ore runs high in silver, as well as gold, with an increasing percentage of copper, to save which he will put in an oil-flotation plant. At the Bunker Hill lead-zinc mine, recently bought by a Los Angeles-Whittier syndicate, composed of W. J. Clair, Sidney Smith, H. W. McAyre, C. J. Caldwell and A. T. Edington, the 1900-foot tram to the mine road is being renewed. The ore, which used to be hauled forty-five miles to Big Pine, will be carried by the railway over the Saline Valley tram.

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Don't overstrain the fine membrane of your throat in trying to dislodge the phlegm. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will accomplish this for you and cure the cold that is causing it.—[Advertisement.

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The Year's First Sales Events

1917 selling records begin with tomorrow's business. Every effort has been exerted to make the month of January a memorable one, not only in point of sales volume, but as a month of unprecedented value-giving.

White Sales and Clearance Sales as well as sales of other natures are merged into one great month-long event under the common heading "Top o' The Year Sale."

It is a January sale that thrifty women will watch closely. The savings to be effected will be great.

Selling begins tomorrow, Tuesday morning, at 9 o'clock.

VILLE DE PARIS
317-325 SO. BROADWAY 312-322 SO. HILL STREET

Prices Appeal in Infants' Wear

To make the sale lots more attractive we have added to an important special purchase by re-pricing a broken line of infants' dresses from regular stock. The daintiest of little dresses offer surprising opportunities for mothers to save on their babies' clothes.

Infants' long slips—Bishop style—65c.

Infants' long slips; shirred neck and sleeve—75c.

Infants' long dresses—$1, $1.50, $1.75, $2.50.

6 months, 1 and 2-year sizes—$1, $1.25, $1.50, $2.25 and $2.50.

2 to 6-year sizes, Empire style and French long waist—$1.25, $2.25, $3 and $3.50.

Philippine hand-embroidered pillow cases—$1.00.

Dimity apron dresses, 2 to 6 year sizes—$1.75.

Linene tailored dresses; 2 to 6 year sizes—$1.75 and $2.50. —First Floor—

Tomorrow You May Buy Any Winter Suit in Our Entire Stock for $27.00

Spring is already knocking at our doors with new garments and these wonderfully styled winter suits must vacate. Fabrics so fine that $27 does not begin to express worth. All fashions of the immediate hour, yet even that fact makes no material difference now. We don't want the suits—we do need the room—so, regardless of former prices—any one after today is $27.00.

Top o' the Year Clearance Corsets Reduced $1.85, $2.85, $3.85

Gossards Lead the Field Supported by Nemos, Smart Sets, and Frolaset Front Lace Makes

Several hundred very high grade corsets in sizes and models sufficiently well assorted to make possible your finding just the very best style for yourself.

You, who are accustomed to wearing the makes enumerated will not fail to appreciate the substantial savings allowed by this sale.

The sale begins Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock in the regular corset department—first floor. At that time all sizes will be on hand, considering the lot as a whole, although perhaps not at every individual price or in every model.

200 Coats for Winter at $28 and $38

Silk and Wool Dresses Reduced, $18, $28, $38

Coat and dress stocks likewise feel sharp price changes. The handsomest garments of the season now take marks of such lowness that the buying prices to you approximate the manufacturer's charge to us. Coats and frocks for practically all occasions—formal and every day.

"Top o' the Year" Opportunity in Fine Wash Skirts

Pique, cotton, gabardine, fancy repp and cotton corduroy skirts in exceptionally smart style collection. Fancy belted models, button trimmings, patch and inset pockets. Spring preparations are going on apace and you should not forget to include a wash skirt in your wardrobe.

Prices, as you will note, are lower than you would expect on these qualities.

$1.25 -- $1.75 -- $1.95 -- $2.50 -- $3.95

Ville de Paris Basement Salesroom Participates With Very Exceptional Offerings in This 1917 Top 'o the Year Sale

Top 'o the Year Sale of Women's Wash Dresses

Four price groups that contain frocks positively unexcelled for value and serviceableness at their marks.

At $1.85 White and solid pink and blue; or stripes, figures or checks. Ruffles, tucks and embroidery flouncings. Others with plain tucked skirts and some are shirred. Sizes range 14 to 46.

At $2.85 Figures, checks, plaids and solid colors. Sport stripe jacket styles with plain skirt; middy effects; normal waist line dresses with ruffled skirts and colored silk belts. Tucked, embroidered and lace trimmed white voiles. Sizes range 14 to 50.

At $4.85 Linen, voile, lawn, crepe and gabardine; solid colors of rose, green, pink, lavender, white, tan, gray; long, pleated styles or coat effects. Waists trimmed with lace and embroidery. Plain, embroidered and tucked skirts. Sizes 14 to 46.

At $8.85 A very smart showing of linen and cotton gabardine wash suits. Some plain whites; others with striped collars and cuffs. Box coat and pleated styles. Sizes 14 to 40. Surprisingly good in quality, style and finish at this price.

Sale of Pretty Evening Gowns at $10

Charmeuse, crepe, taffeta and net frocks exquisitely trimmed with gold lace and net. Many charming styles with taffeta tunics and others with tunics of accordion-pleated chiffon. Choose from white, pink, blue or green.

4 Good Skirt Styles at $2.35

White Corduroy—Plain, belted and with pockets; 22 to 27 waist measure.

White Serge—Full cut; fancy pockets; sizes 24 to 27.

Sport Skirts—In wide black and white and navy and white stripes; sizes 23 to 30.

Wool Skirts—Gray mixtures, brown mixtures and black; fancy pockets or with shirred back and belt; sizes 24 to 27.

Undermuslins of a Fineness and of Such Merit That the Prices Are Hardly Anywhere Near What They Should Be

Muslin Drawers, 25c
Made plain with cluster of three tucks.

Corset Covers, Special 25c
Good soft nainsook; daintily trimmed with pretty laces and embroideries. Many styles from which to choose.

39c Group
CORSET COVERS 39c
Nainsook; lace yokes and narrow embroidery beading.
DRAWERS 39c
Good muslin; trimmed with embroidery and clusters of tucks.

49c Group
DRAWERS 49c
Excellent styles and materials; trimmed with tucks and embroidery.
GOWNS 49c
Soft muslin; V and square neck; trimmed with lace, embroidery and narrow ribbons.
CORSET COVERS 49c
Many pretty styles of nainsook with lace yokes, lace sleeves, embroidery and lace yokes; all with narrow ribbon trimming.

Muslin Drawers, 59c
Five splendid styles; variously trimmed with embroideries, laces and tucks.

79c Group
GOWNS AT 79c
Nainsook and longcloth; neat embroidery, lace beading and narrow ribbon. One style with smocking; round, square and Empire styles.
ENVELOPE CHEMISES 79c
Excellent quality nainsook; trimmings of embroideries and laces; round and V neck.

Wonderful Values in the 95c Group
GOWNS AT 95c
Nainsook, longcloth, batiste and crepe; white, flesh color and colored dots; Empire, square and V necks. Allover embroidery yokes, lace yokes; trimmed with narrow embroidery edge and many good combinations of lace, embroidery and ribbon.
ENVELOPE CHEMISES 95c
Daintiest of styles; fine lace yokes; narrow embroidery beading, edgings and insertions; lace and ribbon trimmed. Soft, durable nainsook.
SKIRTS AT 95c
Soft, white muslin; deep, double embroidered flounces; many pretty designs; some with scalloped edges.

Unusual Styles in the $1.19 Group
GOWNS AT $1.19
White and pink batiste and nainsook; square and round necks; beautifully trimmed with fine laces and ribbons.
ENVELOPE CHEMISES $1.19
Soft nainsook and batistes in white and pink; square and round necks; trimmed with beautiful laces.
SKIRTS AT $1.19
Good muslin; deep double flounces; embroidered ruffles with clusters of fine tucks.

White Wash Skirts Special 85c

Most any kind of a skirt would be worth 85c, but for Tuesday's sale, 85c takes even added strength as a skirt buyer.

Gabardine, linen, ratine, linene, pique and a few gray mixtures in this assortment. Mostly plain styles with fancy pockets, yet some with plain or gathered backs are belted; sizes 23 to 30.

10 Big Values in Fine White Wash Goods

WHITE PLISSE, 19c YD.
Soft crinkled; light pink and blue; for gowns and combinations.

CHECKED DIMITIES, 15c YD.
White; neat assorted stripes and checks; for infants' wear and underwear.

WHITE BATISTE, 35c YD.
Sheer and fine; mercerized, 36 and 45 inches wide; 3 to 5-yard sample lengths; fine quality specially priced.

NAINSOOK, 19c YD.
Soft, smooth finish; yard wide; especially suitable for infants' wear and underwear.

ENGLISH LONGCLOTH, 15c YD.
Yard wide; soft, smooth finish; for gowns and combinations.

CAMBRIC, 15c YD.
Yard wide; soft, smooth finish; for underskirts and gowns.

OUTING FLANNEL, 15c YD.
White; yard wide; soft, double fleece; heavyweight; fine twill; for gowns and infants' wear.

BLEACHED CANTON FLANNEL, 12½c YD.
Fine twilled flannel; heavyweight; single fleece; soft and warm; suitable for infants' wear and underwear.

ENGLISH LONGCLOTH, $1.19 BOLT
10 yards to bolt; soft finish; yard wide; priced special.

LONGCLOTH, $1.69 BOLT
12-yard bolt; exceptional value; soft, smooth finish; for underwear, etc.

Good Results.

LOWER GRADE YIELDING WELL.

RAY CONSOLIDATED TREATING IT WITH SUCCESS.

Profits Keeping up to Dividend Requirements, and Costs Reduced, is the Understanding. Cave-ins on Hillsides Show Effects of Close-to-surface Work.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RAY (Ariz.) Dec. 30.—Ray Consolidated keeps running with clockwork regularity in the mining, transportation and milling of about 10,000 tons of ore a day, and is understood to be cutting costs and keeping dividends even while handling a shade lower grade than usual.

The results of its work are in evidence in the sinking of a number of west-side hills into the caverns that have been excavated below. Despite this tremendous caving, the mine is notable for its small number of accidents, due to the insistence of Manager Cates upon careful work at every stage.

Ray-Hercules is proceeding steadily in development and in preparing for its 2000-ton concentrator near Kelvin. This company appears indifferent to present income, and is shipping only occasional carloads of the rich ore developed in its shafts. Its new works are expected to return over $10 per annum income to the share.

It has just been learned that the Ray-Hercules at a depth of 225 feet, in what is known as the auxiliary, has encountered ore which was maintained to a depth of 272 without a break. This ore averaged 1.90 per cent. copper against the general run of the mine, averaging 2.36 per cent.

The new strike was an unexpected development. It shows constant improvement with every new foot opened. Frederick E. Young, consulting engineer, is outlining future development work for the company.

Success of these larger companies has caused activity in the development of adjoining ground, especially on property owned by the Arizona Ray, which has started drilling, and the Great Ray, a newer incorporation, with forty claims near the Sonora suburb, to the west of Mineral Creek.

A mile south of Ray is the Bates & Schilling group, lately acquired by the Broken Hills Mining Company. It is asserted that 150,000 tons of ore are in sight, averaging above $10 in gold, with added values in silver and lead.

Near the Christmas railroad station in the Gila Canyon, 30-per cent. copper ore has been struck in a tunnel on the J. P. Fall property.

Progress.

GOLDSTONE IS ON THE MAP.

PASSING FROM PROSPECT TO PRODUCING STAGE.

Five Companies Now Operating, Besides Leasers and Private Concerns—Customs Mill has Busy Days Ahead—Shipments Made to the San Francisco Mint.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GOLDSTONE (Cal.) Dec. 31.—With the close of the year Goldstone passes from a prospect to a producing camp with every evidence of a depth and permanency which will add millions to the wealth of Southern California.

Five large companies have been formed and, with the leases and private operations, Goldstone is a busy mining camp.

The Goldstone customs mill is running every day with contracts which will keep it busy for the next six months. Several thousands of dollars in gold bars have been shipped to the mints.

The Goldstone Company has been financed by Boston capital, and the machinery is on the ground. The company is prepared to sink 500 feet, and is expected to create large ore reserves in both the Goldstone and Big Drum properties.

The Red Bridge Company is actively at work taking out high-grade ore and shipping to the mill.

The United Goldstone Company, which is being financed by Los Angeles capitalists, has two shafts down in ore on their Gold Ring group, and there are about ten tons ready for the mill. Soon after the first of the year development will be started on the four other groups, comprising the claims owned by the United Goldstone.

On each of the groups big quarts ledges, carrying values, have been opened up. These give assurance of several good mines.

The Buddy Boy, adjoining the Madeline group of the United Goldstone Company, has opened a big quartz ledge carrying good values.

Jerome Craite has his gasoline hoist running daily, and is taking good values from the sixty-foot level.

The Daggett Reduction Plant at the Old Calico mines, largest cyanide plant in the State, will begin operation next week. There are several hundred thousand tons of tailings from the Old Calico mines which carry fair values.

PERIOD OF EVOLUTION.

Change in Character of Goldfield District Methods.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GOLDFIELD (Nev.) Dec. 29.—Goldfield district, during the past year has been passing through the period of evolution from a high-grade camp, renowned for its deposits of bonanza character, to one in which the attention of operators is directed to the extraction and treatment of the large bodies of lower grade material, ignored during the earlier activities here.

Exhaustive tests, conducted in laboratories and on a large tonnage scale, have demonstrated beyond question the efficacy of the flotation process as a solution of metallurgical problems that hitherto have stood as an obstacle to the profitable handling of the baser ores of the district. Large quantities of gold-copper-silver ore have been shipped to smelters in the past, but freight and treatment tolls have been such as to preclude the marketing of ores of lower grade, that can be treated locally at a substantial profit with proper facilities available.

The advent of 1917 marks the introduction in Goldfield of flotation on a large scale, with equipment of the most approved type, designed specially to apply to local metallurgical conditions.

New discoveries made during the year in virgin territory have served to stimulate development work outside the proved area.

CAPACITY INCREASE.

East Addition to Rochester Mill is Completed.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RENO, Dec. 27.—Marking the completion of the east addition to the new mill, the new thickener was cut into the circuit during the past week at the Rochester mine. This means increased capacity. The tube mill is practically installed and will soon be in operation. Various improvements are to be made in the older parts of the plant to increase its efficiency and establish a record for the mill in point of extraction costs.

At the Seven Troughs Coalition the company is sinking a winze to the 1900 level. This is to cut through the broken zone recently encountered, and is preliminary to going after the vein which was struck before the flood in the old Bird winze. Larger equipment is being bought. Ore from the upper levels is being taken out in sufficient quantities to pay the cost of the present development.

A deal was consummated in Salt Lake last week by which Alma Toombs, J. P. Snodgrass and Raymond R. Rule take a bond and lease on the Rochester Lincoln Consolidated Mines Company ground. This is one of the oldest properties in lower Rochester, but has not been working for some time. The new company proposes to begin operations by the first of the year.

After an idleness extending over a period of two years the Ely Consolidated Company announces that arrangements have been made for ample capital and that work will be resumed about the first of January. C. W. Geddes will be in charge.

Stomach Troubles.

If you have trouble with your stomach you should try Chamberlain's Tablets. So many have been restored to health by the use of these tablets, and their cost is so little, 25 cents, that it is worth while to give them a trial.—[Advertisement.

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Our Great Annual
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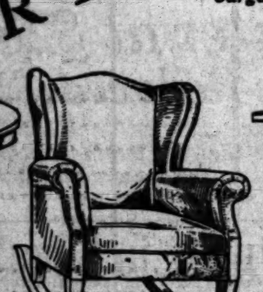
10% to 50% REDUCTIONS

—embracing hundreds of pices of medium and high-grade furniture—single pieces or complete sets—for dining room, bedroom and living room. The most notable assemblage of new styles at the most remarkable price discounts we have ever been able to offer. Make your selection AT ONCE, as naturally the greatest bargains will be "gobbled up" in a hurry.

Dining tables in solid fumed oak, with full 6-foot extension—unusual value at this low price. Dining chairs, buffets, china cabinets, etc.—also the newest Period effects—at special Pre-Inventory prices.

Pre-Inventory Special at $13.75 $17.25 value.



Large comfortable fireside settee, rocker or chair, covered in attractive brown Spanish leatherette—a handsome piece that will last for years. In "comfy" living-room surprising price reductions.

Pre-Inventory Special at $12.85

Many styles in rockers at

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Real Estate	147,875.86	Undivided Profits	996,562.39	
Bank Premises	887,231.92	Letters of Credit	12,250.00	
Furniture and Fixtures	130,000.00	DEPOSITS—		
Safe Deposit Department and Vaults	203,534.00	Commercial $4,267,190.49		
Customers' Liability Under Letters of Credit	12,250.00	Savings 46,912,320.94		51,179,511.43
Cash on Hand & in Banks	15,319,368.30			
Total	$55,088,323.82	Total		$55,088,323.82

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Santa's Belated, Welcomed, Arrival at Old Plaza Church

Where gifts were conferred with an Archbishop's blessing.

The Archbishop is His Eminence Francisco Mendoza of Durango, Mex., who may be seen seated, with Father Domingo Zaldivar, rector of the church at the extreme right of the picture. Each child that came was given some useful article.

Yuletide.

REMEMBER CHILDREN OF CITY'S OLDEST PARISH.

FOR more than three hours yesterday afternoon the children of the parish of the old Plaza church passed in a long line through the patio of the church and received gifts from a beneficent, though somewhat belated, Santa Claus. The event was the annual Christmas tree given at the church by the Children's Friend Society of the parish, which is the oldest in the city.

The aim of the organization is to give each child some useful article. As many of the children were in need of various articles of clothing and like materials, an effort was made to fit the needs of each individual case. Dresses, shoes, stockings, handkerchiefs, undergarments and like useful gifts were distributed to the children, under the direction of Mrs. Dolores Lugo, president of the society, assisted by a corps of fifteen sisters and members of the church.

Archbishop Francisco Mendoza of Durango, Mex., who is in Los Angeles for a short stay, was guest of honor at the church. Father Domingo Zaldivar, rector of the church, assisted in the affair. More than 500 children were aided through the society's efforts.

Million in Deal.

SYNDICATE BUYS NOTED PROPERTY AT SALOME.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SALOME (Ariz.) Dec. 29.—The famous Harqua Hala Bonanza is reported bought by the Mudd & Jackling syndicate for more than $1,000,000 consideration, the proceeds of the deal being divided among the Martin brothers and H. William Stevens. John B. Martin, who has been in charge at the mine, and Dr. Ancil E. Martin, a Phoenix surgeon, gave on option on the property to Stevens for a sum said to have been $650,000.

Mr. Stevens, a keen mining man proceeded to get down beneath the old workings and incidentally kept the old mill running, though lack of proper processes are said to have resulted in 30 per cent. of the values going into the tailings. Despite this, it is probable that the mill returns have more than paid for the development of the mine, which is again to be considered one of the greatest of Arizona's gold properties. Much of the ore from the lower levels is said to run above $100 to the ton, with copper content, as well, up to 6 per cent. The ore body is large and, as yet, not fully defined.

Many of the old mine workings were destroyed by a cave-in from the surface, seventy feet wide and 400 feet long, while the development of several immense ore lenses has left cavern-like stopes that have proved troublesome to latter-day work. But exploitations at depth have avoided these difficulties, and have found new ore in much more permanent shape.

This is about the fourth rejuvenation of the noted property, which once cast its bullion into ingots of such weight that highwaymen could not profit by the loot. One such mass of gold, sent to the railroad at Phoenix, was worth $365,000.

The mine is located only nine miles from Salome, and could be connected readily with the Santa Fe by a spur of that length. It is said the new owners will erect a large reduction plant at once, probably with concentration facilities for saving the gold-copper values.

Goodsprings.

LARGE TOTAL IN DIVIDENDS.

YELLOW PINE AGGREGATE FOR YEAR NEARLY MILLION.

Rapid Headway in Building of Boss Mill—Christmas Consolidated Makes Strike—Los Angeles Broker Interested in New Enterprise in Nevada Field.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GOODSPRINGS (Nev.) Dec. 9.—Yellow Pine Mining Company is mailing out checks today totaling $100,000, making the dividend aggregates this year $800,000, or within $200,000 of the total capitalization of the mine. The winze being sunk in the 300-foot sublevel of the mine continues in ore. It is now down 120 feet through a solid body of the best grade the mine has yet produced, running 50 per cent. zinc and lead. This ore is not being extracted, as the reserve in other parts of the mine are sufficient to keep the mill going for many months.

The concrete and structural work on the Boss mill has been completed. The leaching tanks have been set up and everything is ready for the engine and machinery, which will be delivered as soon as completed. Work is progressing with such rapidity it is anticipated the mill will be in operation by the middle of January. Two carloads of high-grade copper ore are now ready for shipment to the smelter.

At a depth of fifty feet in the winze on the main working tunnel of the Oro Amigo a station is being cut to facilitate handling of ore to allow for the further sinking of the winze. The ore is holding out so consistently in these working that the outlook is most encouraging to the management.

Christmas Consolidated has made a rich strike in the No. 2 tunnel. After drilling 100 feet the vein was encountered at the exact distance that had been figured out by the consulting engineer, Fred A. Hale, Jr. The ore encountered is a high-grade zinc with the same character of mill dirt—a combination of lead and silver—that shows up in the other workings of the mine.

Platino Mines Corporation has been incorporated by Rudolf Mausard, A. L. Jameson and M. M. Miles of Los Angeles, to develop copper deposits on the forty acres adjoining the ground of the Boss mine.

The Copper Peak mine, formerly known as the Double-Up, situated near the summit of Potosi Mountain, and one of the best producing copper properties in the Yellow Pine mining district, has been incorporated. The owners, McClanahan brothers, H. L. Smith and Ralph Andruss, realizing that their financial status was not sufficient to properly develop this big property, which has shipped a carload of copper each month for the past seven months, made a deal with John O. Knight of Los Angeles, who paid them $5000 for an interest in the property and allowed them to retain the control. A smelter is one of the improvements planned for the new company.

The Goodsprings Bill Nye Mining Company has perfected its organization, with S. E. Yount of Los Angeles, also president of the Boss Gold Mining Company, as its president; George A. Fayle, vice-president, and W. E. Allen, general manager.

Arthur Kunze and Mike Conway, operating the Emperor mine on a lease from Gus Hamstadt of Los Angeles, have been making steady shipments of copper ore from the mine. They have run into some high-grade zinc and are preparing to ship this product.

W. P. Mulvey of Salt Lake City is inaugurating extensive work on the Margherita.

J. B. Jenson is erecting at Jean an ore-sampling plant, the machinery of which he purchased in Los Angeles.

The Anchor mine, under direction of Roy W. Moore, has been making large shipments during the month.

SANTA BARBARA HAS COAL SHORTAGE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 30.—Santa Barbara will enter upon the first of the year experiencing a shortage in coal. Dealers had none for sale, but there is promise of shipments next week. The situation is causing no distress as there is a fair supply of wood, although prices have slightly increased.

Following a fishless Friday, weather conditions today permitted boats to cross the channel from the islands and most of them had good catches.

HONKING GREETS THE NEW YEAR.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 1.—The New Year was greeted with a confusion of noises, over-balanced by the honking and tooting of auto horns of machines that were two long streams between here and Venice.

The crowd swayed back and forth all evening, crowding the dance pavilions, the cafes, the piers and the Ocean Front walk, making one long line of people from Venice to Nat Goodwin's.

The municipal band livened the early part of the evening with an unusual concert and the crowd interested itself mainly in moving from one spot to another, in confetti battles, serpentine throwing and in the manufacturing of noise of a varied kind.

TO FORM NEW COMPANY.

Empire-Arizona Stockholders Take Important Step.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PARKER (Ariz.) Dec. 30.—At a meeting of stockholders of the Empire-Arizona Copper Company with representatives of the men who own title to the property, it was decided yesterday to organize a new company to which the Empire-Arizona will deed its leases and contracts, and the property owners their titles and royalty contracts. It is understood stockholders in the Empire-Arizona will receive capital stock in the new company at the rate of three shares for one share in the old.

The Empire-Arizona is shipping about twenty tons of high grade ore per day and is arranging to increase facilities. In addition to ore averaging above 5 per cent. copper, recent assays have showed additional values in gold running from $5 to $20 per ton.

The Arizona-McGinnis has completed the new camp buildings and is putting the finishing touches on the new road. Quarrying surface ores on the top of the mountain begins next week.

On the Arizona Revenue Copper Company's big property extensive development work has disclosed ore bodies said to show good values. A party of prominent California investors will inspect the property next week.

Oatman.

WILL PUT MILL IN OPERATION TODAY.

UNITED EASTERN PREPARED TO BEGIN GRINDING ORE.

Shipments of Bullion will be About Hundred Thousand Dollars a Month, is Estimate—Noted Engineer Preparing Report on the Big Jim Property.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OATMAN (Ariz.) Dec. 30.—All arrangements have been completed for the starting of the United Eastern mill.

The company will start the grinding of the ore next Monday. This is official and comes direct from the company. Some delay was occasioned, due to the non-arrival of chemicals. Everything, however, is now in readiness and Monday will see the beginning of the operation of the new mill, which will mean regular shipmets of bullion each month from the United Eastern Company.

Various estimates have been made as to the amount of bullion the United Eastern will be in a position to ship monthly. With the capacity of the mill it is conservatively estimated the shipments each month will total approximately $100,000.

The Big Jim Gold Mining Company has resumed sinking operations. The deepest working of the mine is 485 feet. The shaft will be sunk to a depth of 610 feet, where another crosscut will be run to tap the vein opened on the 400 and 485-foot levels.

Although it has not been given out, it is known here that Horace Witchell, the noted mining engineer, is at work preparing a report on the Big Jim. He is making this report for heavily interested stockholders. It is expected his findings will shortly be made public.

The latest sensation of the field, the Gold Road Bonanza, is through the vein, cut in the shaft at a depth of 506 feet. The vein widened out to about four feet and the values all the way through were uniform.

"Dump experts" secured many samples and various assays were made. Three prominent mining men, however, secured assays clear across the vein that averaged $49 per ton in gold.

Engineer A. M. Walsh states the Gold Road Bonanza shaft will be sunk another twenty-five feet below where the vein passed through the shaft. A drift will be run at that depth to the point where the feeder vein intersects the main ledge.

The Oatman Bell is pushing operations with all possible speed. Recently the company closed a deal acquiring the controlling interest in the stock of the Crossall Mining Company, owners of five claims lying to the north of the Oatman Bell. The latter company is operating extensively and has some of the most prominent mining men of the West included on the directorate.

The Adams has started a crosscut at a depth of 400 feet. The sump has been completed and all machinery has been installed. A bulkhead has been built to control the water. The superintendent in charge of the operations on the property believes they will tap the vein with about fifty feet of crosscutting.

The Nellie is in better formation and better quality of quartz is being secured. They are crosscutting the vein on the 350-foot level, 100 feet east of the original crosscut. This gives them 140 feet greater depth below the surface than where the shaft is located.

Through thirty feet of vein matter, containing encouraging values, the Murdock is now crosscutting on a 350-foot level. The main vein has not been reached.

Bakersfield.

SAYS "GOOD-BY, OLD WORLD," THEN I

PEDDLER TAKES HIS ON MOJAVE DESERT.

Leaves a Letter Asking that Angeles Papers Record His mise and Tells the Coron Notify His Sister in Wis Took Cyanide of Potassium.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 31. body of George de Neyeu, who committed suicide at has been brought here by the ner. He had lately been in field, peddling a device for ing kerosene. He has a siste du Lac, Wis., and evidently quainted in Los Angeles, as a letter, asking that Los Ange pers be notified. He closed ter by saying, "Good-by, old and then took cyanide of po His letter, addressed to the of Kern county and others it might concern, said:

"There is no use of goi the trouble of a post-mo examination as this is ju plain case of suicide, caus a bitter disappointment consequent sorrow. There one to blame but myself fo sorrow and I am simply tired and lonely to keep up fight.

"I am 55 years old and name is George W. de N You may notify Miss De at Fon du Lac, Wis., the Angeles newspapers and Fon du Lac newspapers would just as soon be here in Mojave as any Sorry to cause anyone any ble, but don't see any help it.

"Well, I am all dressed ready, so you don't need anything but put me awa have given my little person fects to some friends.

"Good-by, old world!

"Yours, etc.,

"GEORGE W. DE NEY

San Diego.

MERRY MAKING.

Vast Crowds Throng the Gat Make the Most of the Op tunity in Celebration of Closing of Year and Exposition.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISP

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 31.—The ing of the year of 1916 and the ing of the San Diego exposi being celebrated tonight in that San Diego has never fore. The city is crowded with visitors from Los Ange other points and downtown have turned away all day who were here for the closing exposition.

By 8 o'clock tonight cafes crowded and the streets were with celebrators, who blew rang bells and threw confe gaiety reigned.

It was announced that the cafes would not celebrate the ing of the year tonight on of its being Sunday and to night the new year and the the fair would be celebrated The crowds, however, have waited for Monday night.

Today many thousands th the exposition grounds, wh fredo Tommasino, leader Royal Italian Band, the Fon Band and Louis Gaudio, the ger, were honored by the exp For forty-eight weeks the band has furnished music exposition, playing from three concerts each day. In ciation of the leader, the m and the band, the exposition today presented gold medals Tommasino and Gaudio. grammes of music compo Tommasino were played band.

WILL GET NATURAL GAS ON MARCH

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MONROVIA, Dec. 31.—Ac to a statement made by F. S president of the Southern Gas Company, Monrovia served with natural gas by 1. Pipes are being laid from Brea fields at the rate of a a day; the only possible de be in the holding up of p main shipments from the These shipments are made contract.

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Gowns—Regular $1.25 ..... at $ .95
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Envelope Chemise—Regular $1.19 and $1.25 ..... at .95
Envelope Chemise—Regular $2.00 ..... at 1.45
Envelope Chemise—Regular $2.50 and $3.00 ..... at 1.95
Envelope Chemise—Regular $3.50 and $4.00 ..... at 2.95

These garments are priced at less than cost of manufacturing today.

CREPE DE CHINE and SATIN UNDERWEAR

Gowns—Formerly $ 5.00 to $ 7.50 ..... at $ 3.95
Gowns—Formerly $10.50 ..... at 6.45
Gowns—Formerly $11.00 to $13.50 ..... at 7.95

Princess Slips—Formerly $10.00 to $16.00 ..... at 7.95
Princess Slips—Formerly $17.50 to $18.50 ..... at 11.95

Camisoles—Formerly $1.25 ..... at .95

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Entire stock of French and Philippine hand-made underwear—consisting of gowns, envelope chemise, combinations, corset covers and drawers

At 25% Off Regular Prices
Third Floor

MILLINERY

68 Untrimmed Hats—Formerly $4.50 to $8.50 ..... at $1.95
Lot 1—34 Sport Hats—Formerly $3.50 to $4.50 ..... at 1.95
Lot 2—42 Trimmed Hats—Formerly $10.00 to $15.00 .. at 2.95
Lot 3—50 Trimmed Hats—Formerly $17.50 to $30.00 .. at 4.95
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ART AND GIFT SECTION

Beginning Tuesday, January 2nd, we will place on sale our stock of Art Goods, including all the novelties which have lately arrived—for a period of two weeks.

MARBLE STATUARY — CUT GLASS
PICTURES — FRAMES
LAMPS — LAMP SHADES
TEA WAGONS — GOLD & DECORATED CHINA

And Numerous other Articles at 25% off marked price.
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82 Petticoats—Formerly $3.95 and $4.95 ..... at $2.95
81 Petticoats—Formerly $7.50 and $8.50 ..... at 4.95
44 Petticoats—Formerly $10.50 to $18.50 ..... at Half Price
Third Floor

RIBBON NOVELTIES

Belts — Girdles — Sachets
Pillows — Coat Hangers — Bags

AT HALF PRICE
Ribbon Section—First Floor

Linens

72-inch Table Damask—
An extra heavy weight of Irish Damask
Former price $1.75
—Sale Price $1.50 Yard

2-yard square Pattern Table Cloths—
With the popular round patterns; a fine quality of all linen
Former price $5.00
—Sale Price $4.00 Each

72x99 Seamless Sheets—
A very soft quality of cotton
Former price 70c
—Sale Price 60c Each

81x99 Sheets—
A firm, fine quality of cotton
Former price 90c
—Sale Price 80c Each

45x36 Pillow Cases—
Made of a fine soft quality of muslin
Former price 20c
—Sale Price 15c Each

Hemmed Satin Finish Bed Spreads—
Full size—Former price $4.50
—Sale Price $3.50 Each

22x42 Bleached Turkish Bath Towels—
Red, blue or plain white border
Former price 35c
—Sale Price 25c Each

24x47 Turkish Bath Towels—
A good size and extra heavy weight
Former price 85c
—Sale Price 65c Each

22-inch Napkins—
A fine quality of all linen Irish damask
Former price $4.50
—Sale Price $3.50 Dozen

22-inch Napkins—
heavy firm quality Irish Satin Damask, all linen
Former Price $5.50
—Sale Price $4.50 Dozen

Dinner Size Napkins—
a good weight of all linen Damask
Formerly $6.50
—Sale Price $5.50 Dozen

72-inch Table Damask—
full weight, all linen, assorted patterns
Formerly $1.50
—Sale Price $1.25 Yard
Second Floor

INFANTS' WEAR

Infants' Long Slips 6 months, 1 and 2-year Dresses—Domestic and hand-made—slightly soiled.

at Half Price

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at 25% Off Marked Prices
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Formerly $18.50 to $22.50 ..... at $14.50
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Formerly $32.50 to $50.00 ..... at 24.50
Formerly $52.50 to $70.00 ..... at 34.50
Formerly $70.00 to $97.50 ..... at 44.50

COATS

Formerly $25.00 to $32.50 ..... at $19.50
Formerly $35.00 to $50.00 ..... at 24.50
Formerly $52.50 to $65.00 ..... at 34.50
Formerly $67.50 to $75.00 ..... at 44.50

SUITS

Formerly $35.00 to $60.00 ..... at $24.50

FURS

At 25 per cent. off marked prices.
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KIMONOS and NEGLIGEES

Kimonos—Formerly $ 2.25 to $ 3.00 ..... at $ 1.45
Kimonos—Formerly $ 3.75 to $ 6.00 ..... at 2.45
Kimonos—Formerly $11.75 to $15.00 ..... at 7.45
Kimonos—Formerly $16.50 to $25.00 ..... at 12.45

Negligees—Formerly $ 6.50 to $ 9.00 ..... at 3.45
Negligees—Formerly $11.75 to $15.00 ..... at 7.45
Negligees—Formerly $16.50 to $25.00 ..... at 12.45
Negligees—Formerly $27.50 to $85.00 ..... at Half Price

Short Sacques in Crepe de Chine—Form. $4.75 to $6.00 at $2.45
Short Sacques in Crepe de Chine—Form. $9.75 to $15.00 at $7.45
Short Sacques in Figured Challie—Form. $4.00 to $5.95 at $1.45
No Exchanges—No Approvals.
Third Floor

STATIONERY SECTION

Box paper and correspondence cards that handling and displaying have soiled. Boxes will be marked ¼ to ½ price. Calendars half price.

Brass Desk Novelties at 25 per cent. off Marked Prices.
First Floor

RUGS

8—9x12 Tapestry Rugs ..... $22.50 for $14.75
4—9x12 Axminsters ..... $35.00 for 22.75
25—9x12 Rag Rugs ..... $12.50 for 6.75
20—9x12 Bagdad Body Brussels ..... $41.00 for 29.75
20—9x12 Body Brussels ..... $38.00 for 27.75
27—9x12 Bagdad Wiltons ..... $61.25 for 47.75
15—8.3x10.6 Bagdad Wiltons ..... $56.25 for 41.75
12—8.3x10.6 Ardebil Wiltons ..... $72.50 for 53.75
13—9x12 Ardebil Wiltons ..... $77.50 for 57.75

No Exchanges—No Approvals.
Fifth Floor

FUR TRIMMINGS

25 per cent off marked prices
First Floor

TUESDAY—SILK SPECIAL

600 yards 35 inch high luster, soft finish black Chiffon Taffeta—Our regular $2.00 quality on sale Tuesday at $1.39
Second Floor

Progress of the Southwest's Great Mining Revival---Latest Developments Chronicled

Jerome.

SMELTER DEAL IS DROPPED.

Extension is to Rush its Own Treating Plant.

Swansea Interests may Also Run Theirs.

Calumet Gets Option on the Gadsden Holdings.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

JEROME (Ariz.) Dec. 30.—Deal for the lease of the Swansea smelter by the United Verde Extension Company has fallen through. The trustee of the Swansea interests in bankruptcy felt that he could give only a six-months lease, while the Extension needed two years, the time to be consumed in erection of its own smelter in the Verde Valley. It is said that the Swansea is developing into a big mine and that its stockholders, mainly resident in France, may want to operate their own plant in the near future.

The mine is shipping ore to Humboldt and is opening up some new stopes that might produce a large part of the supply for the 750-ton smelter, with fluxing custom ore obtained from nearby properties of even from the United Verde Extension.

The Extension management now is figuring on getting its own furnaces into operation within four-teen months and will break ground at once at the smelter site on the Hopkins ranch, near Cottonwood. At the mine a bit more ore than usual is being taken out, up to ten carloads a day having been shipped of late to Douglas and Humboldt.

Development has been started on the Shea property. The operators are extending the tunnel that lately cut a five-foot ledge of gold-copper ore at shallow depth. At seventy feet a station will be cut, and a shaft opened to the surface and winze driven downward.

An option on 80 per cent. of the Gadsden company's stock has been taken by the Calumet and Arizona Company, which has contracted to spend $190,000 on development of the group. A three-compartment shaft is to be started at once, magnificently equipped with machinery shipped from Bisbee. Power is to be secured from the lines of the Arizona Power Company.

The well-known Dundee-Arizona still is waiting for proper mechanical equipment, having been compelled to send to Chicago for an 80-horse-power engine for its compressor plant. The engine will be delivered within a few days and in a week sinking is to be resumed. The company has rich carbonates near the surface in a fine outcropping, but the operators are confident they will strike at depth sulphides similar to those of the nearby Verde Extension. Indications at the bottom of the shaft are excellent.

Reorganization has been effected of the old Decatur property, two miles south of Jerome, under the name of the Verde Hub Copper Company, with stockholders mainly resident in Decatur, Ill., and Hancock, Mich. The ground comprises four patented claims. The 2144-foot shaft is to be sunk to greater depth and a diamond drill is to be started on outside exploration.

An option for thirty days with a price set at $40,000, will be given on six unpatented mining claims, property of David Conner, now in a Pasadena sanatorium, if the Superior Court approves an application to that effect made by Conner's Arizona representative.

James Douglas of the Verde Extension, has purchased a half interest in the Graphic and Little Johnny mines in Hassayampa district from H. M. Servant of Washington City.

The Peck mine, one of the great silver producers of pioneer days, again is being worked. It has been leased by Harry Braun and Louis Rhode, who are to cyanide the 250,000-ton dump, as well as drive further some of the old workings.

Activity.

RUSH AT KEELER.

Mining Boom Crowds Accommodations to Last Degree — Soda Products Company Doubling the Capacity of Its Plant.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

KEELER, Dec. 30.—Mining activity has reached such a stage here that it is practically impossible to accommodate all the people who come into camp on business. Frequently no sleeping quarters are to be found after 9 or 4 p.m. and warehouses and other places, even autos, have to be utilized. A number of portable houses are going up. Mining men say there is a splendid opening for a hotel and a restaurant, lines now monopolized by a Chinese.

The Natural Soda Products Company, with sixty men and nearly as many horses, is doubling the capacity of its immense plant at the edge of Owens Lake, putting in miles of evaporation vats. The Inyo Development Company now employs 100 men at its soda plant and is adding furnaces and equipment to enlarge capacity. In drilling artesian wells this company encountered a good flow of natural gas as well as water and is now using it for light and stove heat. More wells will be sunk and the gas utilized under the furnaces if possible.

In the Troeger tunnel of the Estelle Mining Company, of which Adolph Ramish of Los Angeles is one of the principal owners, several extensive lead-silver-zinc ore bodies have been encountered and shipping is about to be started on an extensive scale. Work on the great bore, now more than 7000 feet in the mountain and 2000 feet below the surface, goes steadily forward. Electric power installation is under way.

The Cerro Gordo has passed the thirty-mile mark in underground workings, and is turning out as much ore as at any time in its career as a famous producer.

Iron Oxides.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 16.—Q.: Please state what this peculiar-shaped mineral consists of. B.

A.: One of the specimens is an altered stalactite, and the remaining two specimens are of iron oxides also. Carbonates a trace.

In the Earth.

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You are politely requested to submit samples carefully wrapped and tagged, with letter accompanying stating what tests are desired. Make samples of small size. There is no necessity for big chunks. Correspondents offering matter for analysis with card, or scrap of paper, intended to show that the stuff is from Jim Jones, for instance, with no marks of identification on samples, will hereafter, receive no attention whatever.

Igneous Rock.

GOLDFIELD (Nev.) Dec. 7.—Q.: I am sending you some clay. Please test same for aluminum, and if of commercial value where can I get a market for it? A.

A.: All rocks contain alumina in a greater or smaller quantity. The samples are tufa and the aluminum present (sparingly) is in the form of silicate. This variety of tufaceous igneous rock is not, in any way, superior to any other common rock as a source of alumina.

Chromo Traces.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 7.—Q.: I am sending you two samples of ore for test, etc. Kindly advise what is in them. This ore is from the Lytle Creek district. K.

A.: No. 1, iron-manganese ore; chrome a trace. No. 2, porphyritic rock; iron oxides, manganese dioxide, mica, no free gold, and platinum absent.

Wulfenite.

DOME (Ariz.) Dec. 8.—Q.: Can you please give me a general idea of the minerals present in the inclosed samples? What are the yellow crystals? We suspect vanadate of lead. An answer in "In the Earth" would greatly oblige. M.

A.: The larger quartz sample carries very low per cent. (crystals) lead molybdate; vanadiam trace only; cerussite (lead carbonate) more or less present. The two small samples are on the order of No. 1 and are of lower-grade ore.

Platinum Absent.

ORACLE (Ariz.) Dec. 8.—Q.: I am forwarding samples of rock. Please analyze them. Oblige. Y.

A. Both silicates tested together react slightly for zinc. Tungstic acid absent. Iron oxides present. Lead a trace.

Phoberite in Part.

KINGMAN (Ariz.) Dec. 9.—Q.: Please make qualitative analysis of this rock and let me know what it is. I am a subscriber to the Daily Times. F.

A.: The sample carries a low per cent. hydrated silicate of alumina. Lime present, with clay (aluminum silicate.) Potash present in very low percentage (water soluble.) Gypsum present. Nitrates absent.

Iron Oxides.

REDLANDS, Dec. 9.—Q.: Samples are from the mountains east of Victorville. Will you kindly test them and advise, etc.? W.

A.: One sample is impure lime carbonate (cement rock.) and the other specimen is of iron oxides, pyrite, mica, aluminum silicate and iron (sulphate) present.

Carbonates.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 10.—Q.: Will you please publish in "In the Earth" results of analyses on three samples inclosed. They were found near the Ventura county line, on the Ventura road. S.

A.: No. 1 is dolomite (magnesium limestone.) No. 2, calcite (magnesia present) iron oxides and mica traces. No. 3, sedimentary; quartz, aluminum silicate, limenite traces (titaniferous iron ore,) other iron oxides and mica.

Crusher Samples.

KINGMAN (Ariz.) Dec. 10.—Q.: I am sending you two samples. Please tell me what they contain. "LOS MINER."

A.: The quartz samples carry no free gold and are colored smalt-blue with dumortierite (aluminum silicate.) Not tested for zinc. Iron-manganese present. Samples in other sack are of micaceous iron ore (hematites,) and lead, with mica sparingly present. Platinum absent.

Cement Rock.

SAWTELLE, Dec. 11.—Q.: Please classify this rock. Does it represent commercial values? D.

A.: In sufficient quantity the rock will be of value for cement manufacture.

Certain Marl.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 11.—Q.: This sample is from the Mentone district, San Bernardino county. Would like to know what percentage of lime it contains. F.

A.: Lime, 43.50 per cent. Magnesia present. Limonite and silica in the mass of samples.

Hornblende.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—Q.: These two pieces of rock from the same ledge. They are from California. I would like to hear from you about them. "SUBSCRIBER."

Chiefly Pyrite.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 12.—Q.: With this I am sending you sample of sulphides from Mt. Bullion, Mariposa county, California. The party sending it wishes to know if it contains anything of value. I know that you do not make any assays for gold and silver, but if it contains other values I would be pleased to know it. H.

A.: Arsenical pyrite present in the concentrates. Traces only of lead and nickel.

Quartz.

PASADENA, Dec. 12.—Q.: I suspect that the sample is kunzite (gemstone.) It is from the Pala (Cal.) section. W.

Pyrite Traces.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13.—Q.: Please inform me what the enclosed sample contains. Would like it tested for phosphates or borax. M.

A.: The sample is one of those "white minerals" that qualitative analyses will not give satisfactory results thereon.

Spectroscope tests show that boron is present in low percentage. Potash trace. Phosphorus (phosphoric acid) absent.

In Part Agatized Wood.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 14.—Q.: Herewith a sample given me by a prospector which, he states, came from Dry Lake, San Bernardino county, California. I am at a loss to call it. It may be gilsonite colored from iron oxides and something else, or it may be "snide." I cannot say; can you? Thanking you for past favors. D.

A.: There is no hydrocarbon present in the sample, and, therefore, it cannot be gilsonite. The sample is a most interesting one. Bloodstone (the gem heliotrope) should be prospected for at the locality. It is in part banded and orbicular jasper.

Oxides and Carbonates.

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 14.—Q.: I am enclosing four samples from near Daggett. Will you kindly tell me what they are and if of any value. C.

A.: No. 1 is a variety of hematite (martite,) with baryte, titaniferous-iron, traces of carbonates and silica. No. 2 is chloritic rock. No. 3 is partly of hornblende. No. 4 on order of No. 1.

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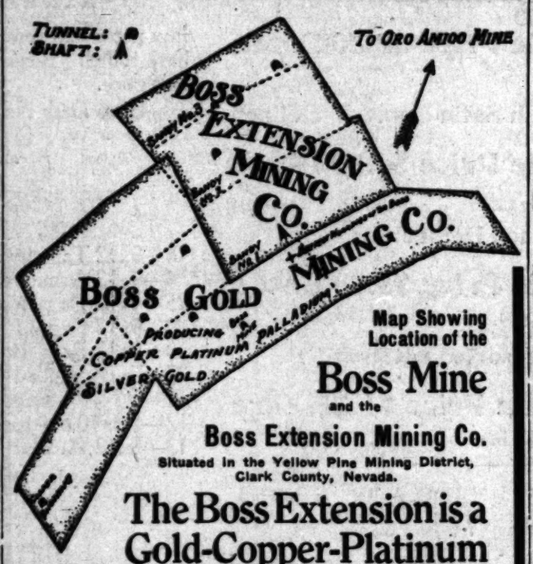

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This activity had occurred, despite the fact that it was a political year, one also of disturbed foreign relations and a period of disappointing crop outturn, which was made more manifest by the foreign buying of obtainable supplies, and evidences of speculation having taken advantage of natural conditions to push prices of food to record heights. This latter resulted in a popular outburst against high living costs and the combined efforts of public men, officials and others to find evidences of monopolistic combinations to raise the prices of the "people's food."

FINANCIAL FEATURES.

Exports of merchandise totaled $5,450,000,000 in value, excelling by 30 per cent. the previous calendar year by 58 per cent., and those for the year 1914 by 157 per cent. Imports totaled $2,360,000,000, exceeding 1915 and 1914 by 32 per cent. Exports of gold totaled $630,000,000, and exports by $500,000,000. Gross imports of gold during the year have aggregated $1,100,000,000, and the net imports $838,000,000. Our sales of merchandise in this period were considerably over double our purchases. Estimates that we bought $1,000,000,000 of American securities and, in addition, became creditors for an additional $2,000,000,000 of foreign bonds or notes. Our export trade has grown since the war began, its character has greatly changed, and the early shipments of foodstuffs have been dwarfed, partly because of shortages, by later enormous shipments of manufactured goods—some of these, by the way, munitions, though it must be said that shipments to Entente countries far exceeded those to the rest of the world. Our gains in trade in this part of the world at peace have hardly expanded as much as might have been hoped, though it is hard to see how our factory production, strained as it was to the breaking point, could have been much increased. Credits based on gold and vast supplies of securities and gold have expanded, and the country's banking position has become one of unparalleled decisiveness and resources. Bank clearings for 1916 testified to the enormous volume of the banking movement, a total of $260,000,000,000, a figure never before equaled, and a gain of 40 per cent. over the 1915 total, and of 69 per cent. over 1914. If the normal excess of bank clearings over clearings at leading centers, two and one-half to one, is accepted as a guide, the country's total banking business in 1916 was about $650,000,000,000. Stock exchange trading was more active than ever in a decade, total sales at the New York Stock Exchange aggregating 232,000,000 shares, a gain of 30 per cent. over 1915, five times what it was in the panic year 1914, and only 20 per cent. less than in the record year of 1906. Bond sales aggregated $1,160,000,000, a total showing a gain of 22 per cent. over 1915, and exceeded only in 1909, compared with which year transactions fell off 12 per cent. Government bond sales, reflecting large foreign flotations, were eighteen times as active as in 1915. Money was easy until toward the close of the year, and collections were good, with many old accounts liquidated, especially in the South. Failures for the year, reflecting the final closing out of old, crippled concerns and of new ventures insufficiently provided with experience, capital or other requisites, were large in number, second only in fact to 1915, from which they decreased 13 per cent.; but the rarity of important suspensions is shown in the volume of liabilities being the smallest with one exception since 1909, 38 per cent. below 1915, and less than half those of 1914.

PRICE MOVEMENTS.

As pointed out elsewhere, the crop outturn was not in keeping with other developments, and to this cause as much as to active foreign demands were due the new and dizzy heights reached by many commodities included in Bradstreet's Index Number, which latter rose steadily early in the year, faltered in the late spring and summer, and then took a new flight to still higher ground as crop shortages became certainties, active industry swelled pay rolls, and a snowstorm of wage advances in the latter months by a process of an endless-chain character still further advanced all price quotations. This process, resulting in a reduction of the dollar's buying ability of 23 per cent., as compared with the year's opening, was ultimately responsible for a sort of popular revolt against high food prices, petitions for embargoes against food shipments, and widespread national, State and municipal John Doe hunts for the causes of advancing prices. That some of the price advances were bred of speculation, made possible by cheap and abundant money, seems certain; that some were what may be called psychological or autosuggestive may be conceded, but that short yields and unexampled demand were the main causes hardly requires proof. The fact that Bradstreet's Index Number for the entire year 1916 was 20 per cent. above 1915, 33 per cent. above 1914, 32 per cent. above 1910—the last year of food price revolts and meat boycotts—and just double that of the low-water year 1896, is a visible statistical exemplification of what have been called the "penalties of prosperity."

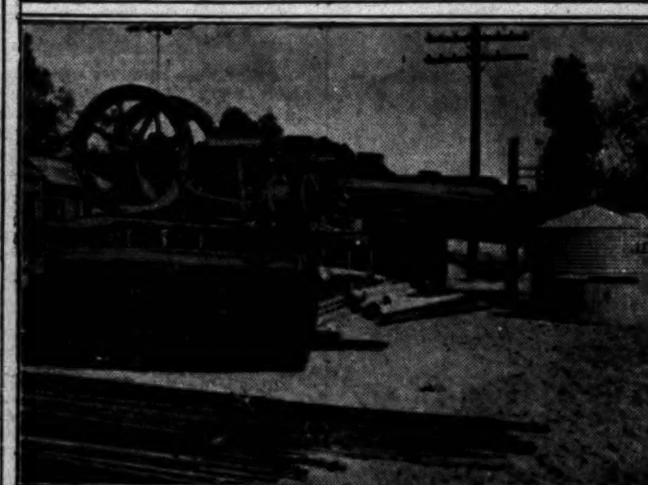
LOOKING FORWARD.

The war abroad still sets the measure of prosperity at home, and the irregularity of our stock, wheat and cotton markets in the laht few weeks shows how sensitive we are to any prospect of a basic change in the present struggle. Too many fine predictions of so-called authorities have gone by the board in the past two and a half years to encourage any hard and fast forecasts, but a few general remarks may, however, be hazarded. Present high prices of all products, the scarcity of ships, the severity of the submarine campaign, the decision of the western allied governments not to place large quantities of short-time notes here, and the ability of the Allies to produce much war material at home, would seem to, indicate that our exports have about reached their zenith. Then, too, the war, while profitable to many, has brought home to this country, as a whole, through the medium of famine prices, the fact that we are ourselves paying no inconsiderable part of the financial cost of the struggle. How much further domestic consumption can go before past, present and prospective high prices will automatically check consumptive buying, if it does indeed do this, is a debatable question. The crop failures of the past year would in normal times have given trade a heavy setback. It was easy to preach but hard to practice conservatism in the past year of high costs of foods, materials and operation, as well as of deficient stocks alike of manufactured goods and of raw materials. If peace should arrive within a reasonable time it will find a good part of the coming year's business as secure as any business can be that was placed at present price levels, and with stocks of goods concededly small in all positions. It seems certain, however, that peace will come much more gradually than did hostilities two and a half years ago, and in this case demands from Europe for materials for rebuilding and repair will help to take up the slack of reduced orders in other lines.

NEW FORCES BORN.

Another and much more doubtful feature is the question of the extent to which European countries which have practiced state socialistic or collectivistic methods in the control not only of industry and trade, but even of public appetites and food supplies, as military measures, may seek to apply these methods to the struggle with us for old or new markets. To paraphrase the poet, it has seemed of late that abroad, at least, where national control and participation in trade and industry are accepted as an everyday matter, as though the individual has withered and the state is more and more. To what extent American business men, shackled by evidently outworn laws based on theories of unrestricted competition, are prepared to meet this possible European combination of state and private competition, if, as seems probable, it eventuates, is perhaps the most crucial question in the entire situation. New and stronger economic forces are evidently to be met with after the war; but it at least may be said that American business men's eyes are open to the difficulties confronting them, and the country faces the problems of 1917 with costs of operation at a high level, it is true, but with a wealth of capital never before possessed, with a population not decimated or crippled by death or wounds, with a new and rapidly growing merchant marine, with a solidly established shipbuilding industry, and with clearer ideas of what constitutes financial, commercial and military preparedness than it ever had before. It is very evidently no time for playing parish politics, so far as governmental interference with or hamstringing of business, industry and transportation is concerned. Certainly, if we fail in this future, apparently irrepressible, conflict, it will not be for lack of adequate warning.

At New Scene of Mining Activity.



Gold reef development.

Machinery in transit to field of rich promise in gold and silver, and (below) the opening of the Clipper shaft. Geological conditions and preliminary results are such the district is considered a real new bonanza.

Expert's View.

GREAT PROMISE IS SEEN IN GOLD REEF DISTRICT.

THE Gold Reef mining district, located in San Bernardino county, five miles northwesterly from Danby, a station on the Santa Fe, 250 miles from Los Angeles, is, according to Ellis Mallery, geologist, one of the most promising gold and silver districts ever discovered in this State. That his views are coincided in by experienced mining men, is evidenced by the fact that the Tom Reed Mining Company of Oatman has taken up nine claims and is now actively engaged in sinking a 500-foot shaft and when the 500-foot level is reached, will drift and crosscut the main ledge.

In this shaft at the 120-foot level, a body of ore was encountered that measured twenty feet across and the assays show all the way up to $2.20 per ton, but the company is confident that the great major fissure vein, which they will crosscut on their drift from the 500-foot level, will average $4.50 per ton in gold, with sufficient silver to pay all operating expenses.

The major fissure vein is paralleled by a series of sister veins and a system of dips, angles and spurs, all of which show values that warrant development. In speaking of the quartz bodies that exist on the main fissure, Mr. Mallery says: "Quartz bodies exist on the incline of this monster fissure to a depth of several thousand feet, and in all probability beyond the depth of practical mining and, due to their mode of origin and their slightly eroded crests, the general tendency will be toward increased gold content as depth is gained."

Some 200 claims have already been located in this district and the Gold Reef Mining Company and several other fully financed corporations are already prosecuting work on various claims, there being two shafts already started, and several others will start as soon as men, machinery and material can be gotten into the district.

The Clipper Mining Company has also secured a group of claims in this district and has already shipped its machinery to Danby station and will have the same in place as soon as a road now being constructed to the site of its shaft can be completed. A grocery store, cook house, blacksmith shop and other buildings are being constructed.

W. P. Reynolds of the Gold Reef Mining Company, who has just returned from the camp, asserts this is the bonanza field of California. "This great major fissure vein," says Mr. Reynolds, "is so well defined by the various outcroppings that, standing on an eminence at one end and looking northward, one would imagine a great fleet of battleships was moored in a single line for a distance of five miles. It is only 255 miles from Los Angeles by auto and a good road all the way."

In a geological report, made on the district, Mr. Mallery says:

The principal vein system of this district, which is several miles in length, is identified with a major fault fissure, which from its structure is a sufficient guarantee of the deep-seated origin of the numerous outcroppings that are definitely traceable all along its course.

A study of all factors warrants the assertion that here is an unusually attractive vein system that is as inviting to exploration as any mining district the West can offer, and with some substantial inducements in the form of favorable conditions that others have not. Definite and understood laws have been working in a manner here that one may say with a feeling of confidence, commercial bodies or shoots of ore exist along the entire incline of this lode that only await systematic work to reveal them.

Still Mounting.

COMPARISON OF BRITISH AND GERMAN WAR LOANS.

THE fifth German war loan has now been paid in, amounting to $2,621,253,750, according to the normal exchange rate. This brings the total German war borrowings, of which there are any record, up to $11,714,503,750. The short-term borrowings of the German government and the other obligations connected with the war are not generally known on this side.

War borrowings of the British government, including long and short-term loans, amount to $14,122,430,000 up to November 25 last. This represents an increase of about $700,000,000 in about four weeks, owing to the inclusion in the meantime of the $300,000,000 collateral loan floated in the United States.

This total will now be augmented by the $50,000,000 loan just floated by Great Britain in Japan, the proceeds of which are made available in dollars in this country. This is the second Japanese loan obtained by Great Britain. The Japanese government in July last provided the British treasury with $50,000,000 on British treasury bills. But in the case of the present transaction it is the Japanese public that is providing the funds. It is a 6 per cent. three-year loan.

The amount of British treasury bills now outstanding is $5,543,000,000. The new 6 per cent. exchequer bonds have reached $560,000,000.

The following tables show the war borrowings of the British government, and the war loans of Germany, since August 1, 1914, the former showing the borrowings during the current fiscal year:

War borrowings of British government:

	April 1, '16, to Nov. 25, '16.	Aug. 1, '14, to Nov. 25, '16.
Treasury bills, all maturities	$2,791,115,000	$ 5,543,455,000
6 p.c. exchequer, due Feb., 1920	560,210,000	560,210,000
War expenditure 2-year certificates	143,455,000	143,455,000
War savings 5-year certificates	132,500,000	188,750,000
"Other" debt	180,530,000	225,530,000
Ways and means advances	155,000,000	254,480,000
3½ p.c. war loan, 1925-28*	....	1,658,900,000
3 p.c. exchequer bonds, Mar., 1920	....	157,735,000
4½ p.c. war loans, 1925-45x	....	2,913,150,000
5 p.c. U.S.A. loan (Oct., 1915)	....	254,100,000
5 p.c. U.S.A. Col. loan (Sept., 1916)	250,000,000	250,000,000
5½ p.c. U.S.A. Col. loan (Oct., 1916)	300,000,000	300,000,000
5 p.c. exchequer bonds (issues suspended:) Due Oct., '19; Dec., '20; Oct., '21	890,130,000	1,672,575,000
Total	$5,466,940,000	$14,122,430,000

*—Through conversions $313,872,000 in issue March 31, 1916.

x—$4,490,985,000 in issue March 31, 1916, owing to conversion.

GERMAN WAR LOANS.

First war loan 5s at 97½ on 5.32 p.c. basis	$ 1,115,000,000
Second war loan 5s at 98½	2,285,000,000
Third war loan 5s at 99	3,025,250,000
Fourth war loan 5s at 98½	2,678,000,000
Fifth war loan 5s at 98	2,621,253,750
Bank loan in Sweden	10,000,000
Total	$11,714,503,750

JITNEY LICENSE FEE VERY HIGH.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN FERNANDO, Dec. 31.—This city has the highest priced jitney license fee in the State of California—population considered.

It takes effect tomorrow and anyone wishing to run a jitney service will have to put up a fee of $250 a year for the privilege, if he runs an interurban schedule. For local service the fee is $50. Application must be made to the City Trustees, which will vote upon each one separately.

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Summary.

SPECULATION'S TONE IS DULL.

Apathy is Shown in Stocks, Grain and Cotton.

Railroad Securities Put in Stronger Position.

Notable Enlargement in Our Exchange Facilities.

BY W. S. COUSINS,
Editor "The American Banker."

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Though generally admitted that all speculative markets, including stocks, grain and cotton, are keyed up to the highest pitch, and that sudden movements upward or downward may be looked for at such a period, it is significant that market activity has not been very pronounced this week. This may be due to the fact that this has been a holiday week, and to the further consideration that many traders have at least temporarily retired in bewilderment from the speculative channels. This week's market may therefore be considered a professional affair, with the general public on the outside looking in. On the whole, prices have assumed a firm tendency, with any decided changes in the right direction.

Such of the answers to the various overtures for peace, official and otherwise, as have come from the warring nations, have contained very little hope of a speedy termination of hostilities, and this has served to stiffen the market values of the war stocks and the metals. Germany's reply to President Wilson's note was regarded as a war note and not a peace note. It merely repeated the declaration made by the German Imperial Chancellor on December 12, suggesting an immediate meeting of delegates of the belligerents at a neutral place for the purpose of discussing peace terms.

RAILROAD SECURITIES.

The market for railroad stocks has been helped along by the announced settlement of the switchmen's strike by the arbitration board named under the Newlands Act. The origin of this strike was a controversy between the switchmen and some thirteen railroads; and as its settlement has been as satisfactory to the railroads as to the men, it may possibly offer the means of arriving at a satisfactory solution of the problem offered by the dissatisfaction of the "Big Four" brotherhoods, thus making inoperative the recently enacted Adamson law, which is as unsatisfactory to the great majority of the railroad workmen as it is to the management of the railroads.

An additional reason for the popularity of railroad stocks may be derived from the recent statement of the Interstate Commerce Commission, making public the result of its investigation of railroad earnings. According to Washington dispatches this week, it is found that from statistics for the first nine months of the year and made the basis for the entire year, the total net income from operations will be approximately $1,098,000,000. For the first nine months of the year, complete returns show $785,558,266. Even this does not represent the full amount, as roads whose income is less than $1,000,000 are not included. The estimate of $1,098,000,000 is regarded by officials as conservative.

NEW FACILITIES.

An event of great importance in the enlargement of the facilities of American banking institutions for foreign exchange operations has just been completed by the New York Federal Reserve Bank. This is the appointment of the Bank of England as the London agent and correspondent of the reserve bank, and the probability that other of the reserve banks on this side, and of the European governmental banking institutions, may be united by such an alliance. In fact, it is expected that in a short time a similar arrangement will be effected with the Bank of France and the Reichsbank in Berlin.

Under the provisions of this new connection, the purchase of foreign bills by the reserve bank will be one method of extending foreign credit, an operation which would help, in a measure, to lighten the burden of the London banks.

INVESTMENT CONDITIONS.

Those who are looking for evidences of stability in securities at the present time will find them in largest measure in the bond market, where quotations have either remained steady or moved forward, while the position of stocks has, to say the least, been somewhat uncertain. From every quarter comes the same report of an insufficient supply of bonds to meet current requirements, and investment bankers say that the only limitation they have to contend with is that of a paucity in the supply of high-grade investment bonds. In all of the recent underwritings it has been found that no matter how far in excess the issue the subscriptions were far in excess of the amount offered, and allotments were necessarily on a fractional basis.

There is every indication that the pressure on the stock market in recent weeks has not been sufficient to precipitate a liquidation of investment securities in order to protect margined stock accounts.

Bond experts predict a gradual betterment in the investment market, and this will be helped along by the quarterly dividend and interest disbursements which are payable on January 1. Another factor which may be counted on in the bond department is the possibility that this condition will prevail for some time to come.

Yellow Aster Mine Is Big Producer

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MASCOT OIL—pays 12 per cent. on par. Arrangements made to drill 8 new wells. Increased dividends expected and higher prices for the stock. Market closed $1.05 bid; no stock offered.
BIG JIM—the price is advancing and should go considerably higher. Market closed $1.31½ bid, $1.33 asked.
LUCKY BOY—shaft is down 390 feet. Lucky Boy is due for an advance. Get in on Lucky Boy before they begin to crosscut to the veins. Market closed 15½c bid, 16c asked.
TOM REED—seems to have touched bottom. Big developments going forward on the property. When the new 250-ton unit is added to the mill dividends should soon follow. Market closed $1.90 bid, $1.91 asked.
ADAMS—cross-cutting is under way. Adams should sell higher. Market closed 19½c bid; no stock offered.
PICTURED ROCK—is apparently selling on bottom. Development work is promising. Pictured Rock should advance. Market closed 4½c bid, 5c asked.

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NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF THE LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY
Los Angeles, California, December 1, 1916.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Los Angeles Investment Company will be held at Trinity Auditorium, 847 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California, on Wednesday, January 10, 1917, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day for the purpose of electing Directors for said corporation for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

F. R. WILLIAMS,
Secretary of the Los Angeles Investment Company.
By order of the Board of Directors.

January 1, 1917.

Since the last report the following have been admitted to the Jewish Orphans' Home of So. Cal., Inc.
Lazarus, Bessie, female, 2 years 11 months; Werner, Irving, male 11 years 9 months; Werner, Ruth, female, 9 years 2 months; Werner, Henry, male, 7 years 2 months; Schmalzman, Bessie, female, 8 years 7 months. Sigmund Frey, Supt.

Notice to Stockholders:

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Los Angeles, will be held at its banking rooms, Southwest corner Main and Fourth Streets, Los Angeles, California, on Tuesday, the 9th day of January, 1917, at 3:15 o'clock p.m., on said day, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, for the purpose of amending the by-laws governing notice of annual stockholders meeting, the intent being to notify each stockholder individually rather than by notice published in a local paper, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.
(Signed) V. H. ROSSETTI, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of TITLE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company in the Title Insurance Building, corner Fifth and Spring Streets, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on Tuesday, January 9th, 1917, at four o'clock P.M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

WILLIAM H. ALLEN, JR., President.
O. P. CLARK, Secretary.

Gratifying.

BUILDING ACTIVITY.

October Returns from Hundred and Forty-one Cities Roll Up a Total of Expenditures Not Before Equaled for That Month.

Returns of activity in the building trades for October showed large gains over October of last year, just as that month showed heavy gains over October, 1914. Bradstreet's printed returns from 141 cities, which "roll up a total of estimated expenditures never before equaled in that autumn month." The October records for six years past and records for ten months in the same six years were given as follows:

	October.	Ten months.
1916	$[illegible]	$[illegible]
1915	68,494,787	685,755,778
1914	52,585,818	607,228,189
1913	68,141,492	759,206,882
1912	72,128,886	787,604,689
1911	66,746,617	731,762,967

The expenditures for the first ten months of this year in these cities, in fact, exceed those for the entire year 1915. More than that, they are 7.6 per cent. greater than the expenditures in the best year of which we have any record, that year being 1912. Gains, in permits alone, are not made in all parts of the country, decreases being shown in some sections and gains in others, the gains taking place in the Middle and Western groups and in the Far West. When it comes to values, however, the only decrease shown occurs in the Northwest. Values as a whole show a greater increase than do permits, being 24.7 per cent., while the increase in permits is only 5.3 per cent. In values, New York gained 34 per cent., Philadelphia, 36; Cleveland, 70; Detroit and Milwaukee, 120 each; St. Paul, 19; Los Angeles, 79; St. Louis, 7; Buffalo, 13; Boston, 12. Declines in values are shown in several cities: in Minneapolis, 37 per cent.; Pittsburgh, 31; Kansas City, 26; Cincinnati, 24; San Francisco, 18.

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FILMS.

Reviews.

FAIRIES AND WITCHES.

MARGUERITE CLARK CHARMS IN "SNOW WHITE."

By Grace Kingsley.

After setting a new record for attendance at the Burbank during Christmas week, "Seven Keys to Baldpate," the tremendously successful farce-mystery begins its second and positively last week at the Main-street house this afternoon. The cast is an excellent one, including Warner Baxter, Ines Plummer, A. Burt Wesner, Grace Travers, Harry Duffield, Frank Darien, Emelie Melville, Nolan Leary, Billie Boland, David Butler and others.

Woodley.

A wonderfully spectacular and beautiful film production of that charming fairy tale, "Snow White," with Marguerite Clark in the leading role, and the traditional dwarfs, fairies, witches, cats and birds supporting her, is the offering at the Woodley this week. The drama is given almost entirely by children. Let no one say fairy tales cannot be put on the screen successfully. All day yesterday and Saturday the house was packed, not only with youngsters, but with grown-ups, who thoroughly enjoyed the delicate fantasy, mimic comedy and tragedy of Hans Christian Anderson's dream creatures.

The magic of the camera accomplishes marvelous transformations before our very eyes; ugly people are made beautiful, fairies appear and disappear; pigs' curly tails spring up on the bald head of the cruel old witch; in short, there is no fairy miracle which is not worked in this screen version of the beloved yarn of our youth. The droll little touches are preserved, too—Quee, who hasn't had a bath in fifty years, and is scrubbed in the barrel; the gifts of the dwarfs to Snow White, when they say, "Let's not give her just old pearls and rubies, let's give her something of value, our pet frogs and old almanacs and things," and a score of other amusing little bits. Creighton Hale makes a handsome Prince Florimond, and all the characters are delightfully played.

Miller's.

As fascinating as "Robinson Crusoe," as exciting as "Treasure Island," is "The Island of Desire" at Miller's this week, with George Walsh and Margaret Gibson in the leading roles. Otis Turner is to be congratulated on giving us a new sort of desert island tale, which is imbued with the witching spirit of fancifulness, an atmosphere of real romance and adventure. And if only George Walsh would cut his hair, he'd be a regular guy! Certainly he has all the muscle and "pep," not to mention the good looks demanded of a romantic hero. There is a Chinese actor, also, who deserves a lot of credit for good work.

The hero and heroine are cast away on a desert island, with some valuable pearls in their possession, and these are the cause of a thickly mixed plot, pursuing thieves, and what not. And as if this weren't enough the poor hero and heroine are attacked by cannibals and rained upon by a volcano. When they attempt to take refuge from their numerous enemies in caves, some large-sized monkeys dispute their possession. I didn't know monkeys ever lived in caves, but anyway these monkeys did.

Those who love swift moving adventure will revel in "The Island of Desire."

Symphony.

Never did Ethel Barrymore's fine sincerity of method and power of clean-cut characterization find more fitting role in which to display themselves than in that of Helena Richie in the photoplay version of Margaret Deland's novel "The Awakening of Helena Richie," at the Symphony this week. Possibly Miss Barrymore is a bit too robust for our conception of that pitiable pawn of fate, Helena Richie; but her fine intellectual understanding, her wonderfully expressive face, her power to reveal the finest shades of emotion with the minimum of what we are pleased to call "acting," in short her intelligence and absolute sincerity of method, have given a Helena never to be forgotten. I think if ever a library of wonderful film characterizations is preserved Ethel Barrymore's Helena Richie will be among them.

The atmosphere of the stern New England village and its types are most artistically preserved. David is the quaint boy of Miss Deland's story; and Dr. Lavender, Sam Wright, Willie King and others are also drawn to the life.

Palace.

A story based on the historic incident in British history, the relief of Lucknow, and entitled "The Victoria Cross" is the offering at the Palace this week. The Lasky Company is to be congratulated on the Indian atmosphere which has been preserved throughout the picture (except that I do not believe the Rajah's sister would appear in her brother's court without her veil!) and an impressive cast performs, including Lou Tellegen, Cleo Ridgley, Seesue Hayakawa, Mabel Van Buren, Ernest Joy, and others, and there is a foreigner of some sort who plays a Hindoo with remarkable cleverness. But, despite these good qualities, the story is a halting thing, failing to make impressive and climatical the really dramatic and significant incidents, such as the coming of the Scotch soldiers to the relief of the starved garrison. The plot is too involved, resulting in weariness of spirit in the beholder, despite the really fine acting of the principals.

Superba.

John Mason and Alma Hanlon have a fairly appealing vehicle at the Superba this week in "The Libertine." For the most part the plot is one of those written-while-you-wait things but Mason and Miss Hanlon have brought the Frankenstein to life with their exceedingly capable acting. There is a certain logic in the relentlessness of the fate which pursues the erring girl, which gives poignancy to an otherwise exceedingly obvious plot. Mr. Mason appears in the role of a roue and plays with his usual strength and consistency.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments

BURBANK— MATINEES TODAY. POSITIVELY LAST WEEK.
Start the year right by seeing one of the most entertaining comedies in the history of Los Angeles.
7 KEYS TO BALDPATE
With a Cast of Many of the Most Famous of the Burbank Players.
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2nd Great Week Now Playing.
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POTASH and PERLMUTTER
Oi, Yoi, Yoi!—For Comedy It Can't Be Beaten. A Typical Morosco Cast.
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MAJESTIC— 2nd WEEK—MATINEE TODAY
Critics and Public Agree It's the Best Photodrama of Many Months.
The Crisis
BY WINSTON CHURCHILL.
An All-Star Cast, Including Bessie Eyton, Matt Snyder, George Fawcett, Tom Santschi and Others.
Prices—Nights, 25c to 50c. Matinees, Daily, 25c, 25c.

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BEGINNING MATINEE TODAY
Happy New Year
RAY SAMUELS — The Blue Streak of Vaudeville
BERT SAVOY and JAY BRENNAN — "On the Rialto."
George—McKAY & ARDINE—Ottie — "On Broadway"
KENNEY & HOLLIS — "Freshy's Initiation"
RALPH DUNBAR'S MARYLAND SINGERS — Singing Southern Songs of the Sixties.
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MLLE. VERA SABINA & CO. — In "Fantasies of the Dance"
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"THE ENEMY"
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HAPPY NEW YEAR
Start 1917 Right—Visit the "Hip"
A WHIRLWIND SHOW

WOODLEY Theater—SHOWS BEGIN 11, 12:30, 2, 3:30, 5, 6:30, 8, 9:30
A Happy New Year to All Who See
Marguerite Clark in "SNOW WHITE"

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SUPERBA THEATER— TODAY
"THE LIBERTINE" Opens a Week's Engagement at the SUPERBA THEATER
With JOHN MASON and ALMA HANLON in the leading roles, supported by an all-star cast.
A powerful arraignment against long betrothals—here facts laid bare—a play with a smashing punch and a real moral. No increase in prices—10c, 20c, 30c.
SHOWS 10:30, 12, 1:30, 3, 4:30, 6, 7:30, 9 O'CLOCK.

GARRICK— Bdwy. at 8th. Start the New Year Laughing
KOLB & DILL
IN "LONESOME TOWN."

ICE SKATING— 1041 S. Broadway
Three Sessions Daily (No Sunday Skating.) Morning, 9 to 12, Admission, 25c. Afternoon, 2 to 5, admission, 25c. Evening, 8 to 11, admission, 50c. Rental of Skates, 15c.

Sarah Truax,

Clever and popular actress, playing the role of Dominie in "The Garden of Allah," which opens this afternoon at the Mason, and (right) Ray Samuels, the "blue streak of vaudeville" at the Orpheum.

BEANS START RIOT.

Mexican National Dish Garnishes Early Morning Battle.

Chili and beans at 4 o'clock in the morning started a riot in a rooming house at Eighth and Olive streets, yesterday. Claud Edwards, a messenger boy, received telephonic instructions to deliver 40-cent portions of the Mexican national dish to Jack Brown in the rooming house.

He did as ordered, but when the packages were opened there was no bread. Brown and his friend, Coulbertson, demanded bread. Edwards said they had not ordered bread. The words of two were no better than the word of one, but the firsts were stronger.

Messenger Edwards' next impression was that of flying through the air, and the impression was true. He was going downstairs without touching a stair. And behind him, flying with even greater speed, came the dish of chili and beans.

The chili and peppers overtook Edwards and rode to the bottom on his shoulders, some hurrying down his neck. He reported his plight to the police, but when the police reached the room, the chili-and-beans diners were gone.

Aftermath.

CONDITION SERIOUS.

Pawnbroker Who Was Shot, Slugged and Robbed by a Bandit Still Unable to Tell Coherently of His Experience, and Police Lack Clews.

Al Joseph, the pawnbroker who Saturday morning was shot and terribly beaten by a bandit who robbed him of jewelry and money totaling more than $5000, is in a dangerous condition at the California Hospital. His mind is so clouded as a result of the beating he is unable to discuss what occurred, and until he grows stronger, the efforts of the police are handicapped.

No new clews to the bandit's whereabouts are in the possession of the police detectives. Lieut. of Detectives Home visited Mr. Joseph yesterday, but because of the patient's condition, was unable to discuss the case. It is believed that when Mr. Joseph's mind clears, he will be able to give information of great value to the police.

AS BANDIT SUSPECTS.

Police Pick up Two, Following the Firing of Shots at Autoists.

Held for investigation as suspected automobile bandits, Liolusa Patela and C. E. Clough, who were both armed with revolvers at the time of their arrest at Lorena and Hollenbeck streets, were locked in the City Jail early last night.

The two prisoners were arrested by Patrolmen Owens, Yarrow and Gara, following an attempt to hold up Mr. A. E. Lauge of No. 1133 Ditman street, near the point where the suspects were arrested. According to Mr. Lauge, two men attempted to stop him when he drove by them in his automobile. He stated several shots were fired after him as he sped away.

Following an investigation of the prisoners the police stated that while they may not have been connected with the shooting they will be held for a further investigation today.

Scandalous.

HELD AS "PEEPER."

Business Engineer is Arrested in Hotel Courtyard When Found, It is Alleged, Peering at Two Women While They Prepared for Bed.

Floyd L. Yopst, giving his occupation as a business engineer, was arrested yesterday morning on suspicion of vagrancy when captured, it is alleged, in the act of peeping at two women in the Hotel Saratoga, No. 317 South Flower street, while they were preparing to retire.

Samuel Cooper, a lodger in the hotel, reported to the police he had heard a noise in the court at the rear of the hotel. He says he saw a man, whom he later identified as Yopst, standing in such a position he could peep into the room occupied by the women.

Mr. Cooper ordered the man to stand, threatening him with a revolver. Then the police were called and Yopst was arrested by detectives. He admits he was standing in the court at the time, but refuses to explain why he was there.

CONCENTRATE ON TWO MAIN ROADS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Dec. 31.—The Supervisors of this county will be urged to concentrate on two main roads through the San Bernardino Mountains by the Chambers of Commerce of this city and San Bernardino as a result of an agreement made at a meeting of committees from the two organizations. The roads the Supervisors will be asked to concentrate on are the Crest drive, from San Bernardino to Little Bear and Big Bear valleys, and the Mill Creek road from Redlands to Barton Flats, Seven Oaks and Big Bear Valley.

These two roads make a completed circle with the towns at this end and Bear Valley at the other end. The Supervisors will be asked to spend no money on other mountain roads, but to construct these two roads so that they can be kept open all year. It is hoped that they can be paved eventually.

San Bernardino.

FIGHT GUN BATTLE.

Postoffice Inspector with Aides Has Battle with Robbers Who Blew Open the San Jacinto Postoffice Safe—Riverside Sheriff Has Forty Autos in Field.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 31.—Postoffice Inspector Ranger and two men fought a running gun battle in the darkness last night with three men, believed beyond a doubt to be connected with the robbery of the San Jacinto postoffice.

The bandits got away, but it is believed that two were struck by bullets fired by the officers. One bullet nipped a sack which one of the trio carried and tore away bits of stamps. The men were traced to a barn near Hemet from the St. John's grade, where they abandoned a stolen automobile.

Inspector Ranger and his two men sent for reinforcements and at dusk, before they arrived, the trio made a break for the brush. The running duel followed. Officers have learned that five men were in the gang. Sheriff Wilson of Riverside county and forty automobiles are guarding the roads and the apprehension of the bandits before the new year is very old.

Redlands.

JITNEY FIGHT COMING.

Railroads are Organizing, Assert Officials, to Put the Jitney Service Out of the Running by Establishing Speedy Gasoline Cars on All Branches.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Dec. 31.—The railroads of Southern California are going to fight the jitney bus, according to reports from railroad men, who have been in this city recently. They say the Santa Fe will start the ball rolling on the Hemet line.

There it has been announced the Santa Fe will lay eighty-five-pound steel rails and put in a new rock ballast. This is as far as the official announcement goes, but it is said that the daily passenger trains will be discontinued and ... senger trains run in the...

According to report ... will place cars on this ... will make better than ... an hour with safety. The ... carry about twenty ... are operated by one man. ... to be what the public ... service will be extended to ... lines, for it is hoped to ... with the ingrowing ... this manner. These buses ... running between almost ... ern California cities.

It is understood that if the ... line cars are placed in ... the local lines of railroads ... ern California it will be for ... ger service alone. The ... Angeles from this city ... to less than two hours ... cars, it is believed.

Be an Early Bird.
Telephone your Sunday ads to the ... day or early Saturday.

SWALLOWED SPOONFUL OF DISINFECTANT FLUID

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 31.—Mrs. A. Fritz of No. 839 East Second street had a narrow escape from death Saturday evening, when she swallowed a spoonful of disinfectant, thinking that she was taking a dose of medicine from a bottle which contained a remedy for grip. She did not look at the label of the bottle before taking the medicine and was unaware that she had made a mistake until conscious of a burning sensation in her stomach a few minutes later. By prompt use of a stomach pump the poison was removed and her life was saved.

Maxine Elliott.

GETS ARMY FURLOUGH.

From European Relief Work to Appear on Screen in Connection With New Goldwyn Pictures Corporation May Make Films Here.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Goldwyn Pictures Corporation today revealed the reason for Maxine Elliott's hurried return from the European battle front, where for more than a year she has been engaged in war relief work on a hospital barge along the Marne. Miss Elliott has signed with the Goldwyn corporation for her first venture into motion pictures, and will at once begin work in New York or California studios, on her first picture. She will make at least three pictures before returning to Europe, and is on "furlough" from army relief work until the fall. Miss Elliott is the third big star to be signed by Goldwyn pictures, the other two previously being Jane Cowl and May Marsh.

CALLED TO REST.

Widow of Late Dr. George W. Campbell Passes Away.

Mrs. George W. Campbell, aged 54 years, widow of the late Dr. George W. Campbell, passed away at her late residence, No. 119 Boyle avenue, yesterday, after a short illness. Dr. Campbell, who died three years ago, served the city as a Councilman, Coroner and later as autopsy surgeon, a position he held at the time of his death.

Four children are left. Charles and Kenneth Campbell, Mrs. Nellie Bettingill and Mrs. Llya Rommell. The funeral will occur Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence.

Precipitation.

RAIN AT BAKERSFIELD.

Began Falling Early Yesterday and Continued During the Night—Ground in Excellent Condition for a Big Crop—Ranchers Are All Happy.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 31.—Partly drizzling weather prevailed today. This was followed by a quite warm rain which began falling before dark and continued steadily. Last night's minimum was 32. The total rainfall at beginning of this storm was 3.60 which is double last season for same period.

This puts the crop condition in first class shape. The ground is in prime condition and the ranchers are all jubilant.

VAN NUYS HAPPY OVER PROSPERITY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VAN NUYS, Dec. 31.—With the closing of the year there is a general feeling of elation, for it marks the greatest progress this community has ever made.

There has been a marked increase in the population of the city. Several new institutions have been established and the organization of the Poultry Co-operative Association has brought more money to the ranchers than even the most optimistic had dreamed of.

CHINO GROWS THE LARGEST PUMPKIN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CHINO, Dec. 31.—W. H. Delphy, a rancher residing near here, has grown what is believed to be the largest pumpkin ever produced in this district. It looks to be as big as an ordinary washtub. By actual measurement its circumference is eighty-six inches. He has presented it to the Pomona Chamber of Commerce for use in its exhibit-room.

TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLAR SCHOOL.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN DIMAS, Dec. 21.—A $20,000 grammar school building is in course of construction here. The structure is of the bungalow type, 60x106 feet in size, and is calculated to seat 350 people. An adjoining room, designed for kindergarten purposes, can be thrown open and in that way the capacity of the auditorium can be increased to 500. The building will be used as a public meeting place when not needed for school purposes. It will be equipped with a motion-picture outfit.

ELEVEN WITNESSES FOR WEDDING LICENSE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 31.—Yesterday when twelve Mexicans filed into the office of the City Clerk and lined up at the counter, Bert Leigh, the deputy clerk, thought that an uprising was on tap, but when he inquired what service he could render he was informed that one of their number desired to obtain a marriage license. He asked why eleven men accompanied the prospective bridegroom and was told that they had accompanied him to act as witnesses. The delegation was dismayed when informed that the much-desired license would have to be secured at Los Angeles.

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CLUNE'S AUDITORIUM— THE EYES OF THE WORLD

MILLER'S— Junction of Spring & Main at 9th.
GEORGE WALSH IN "ISLAND OF DESIRE"
SHOWS 11, 12:30, 2, 3:30, 5, 6:15, 7:45 AND 9:15 P.M.

ALHAMBRA— Miller's Hill St. Car Between 7th & 8th Sts.
JEANNE EAGELS IN The WORLD AND THE WOMAN

PANTAGES— VAUDEVILLE

GEORGE PRIMROSE
THE VETERAN ... AND HIS ... BLACKFACE ...
WEBER & ELL... Novelty Comedy ...
GILROY, HAYNES & MONTGOMERY In "The Good Bye ..."
IZETTA Accordionist
LEO & MAE JACKSON A Cycling Classic
HELEN HOLMES CHAPTER ... The Lass of the Lumberlands
RESISTA? "The Girl With the Charmed Life" She Weighs but 98 Lbs. Yet No Man Can Lay Her Down
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5 SHOWS TO...

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PALACE— 7th near Bdwy.
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11 a.m. to 11 p.m.
10-20-30c.
CLEO RIDGLEY Co-Starred With Lou Tellegen, Seesue Hayakawa, Mabel Van Buren, in
The Victoria Cross
Also "The Perils of a Plumber," "Pearl of the Army" and Latest Pathe News.

SYMPHONY— Bdwy. near 6th
Unusual Photoplays
ETHEL BARRYMORE IN "THE AWAKENING OF HELENA RICHIE"

"Tuppenny."

LOW COST POLITICS

Bill to Cheapen Campaigns.

Would Limit Contributions to Fifteen Mills on the Total Population.

Bars Newspapers from Printing Anything but Their Own Matter.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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Another provision would prohibit contributions to a national committee within ten days of a general election and requires a complete report of contributions and disbursements to be filed with the clerk of the House of Representatives ten days before election. Election betting and advertising of betting odds would be made a felony.

FELONY DEFINED.

The bill provides that any person or corporation withdrawing or threatening to withdraw patronage advertising or otherwise, from any publication for the purpose of influencing its attitude, shall be guilty of a felony.

Newspapers or periodicals charging for political advertising in excess of normal commercial advertising ...

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The Foremost Events of ...

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., southwest; velocity, 5 miles. Barometer, highest, 57 deg.; lowest, 45 deg. Forecast: Unsettled weather Tuesday. For complete weather report see last page, Part I.

THE CITY. More than 100,000 persons witnessed Pasadena's most entrancing Tournament of Roses.

A man who said he was the victim's son-in-law seeking a family reconciliation, shot and killed a Bell Station man and escaped.

Charles R. Post, 91 years old and father of the late cereal king, married a 55-year-old bride.

A noted orator of Iowa died at his residence in Pasadena.

Residents in Highland Park began to call the city's brand new lighting system unsatisfactory.

Returning to his uncle's home, a boy encountered two burglars and was shot; he disarmed one; both escaped.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Armour murder mystery explained by sale of automobile and arrest of Washington suspect.

Bakersfield has a good rain and crop conditions are said to be of a high grade.

Young man in Pomona takes his life after reading the symptoms advertisements for patent medicines.

GENERAL EASTERN. Assistant to president of Pennsylvania Railroad Company dies while attaching 1917 license tag to auto.

I.W.W. mob forming in Minnesota to destroy lumber mill.

Garment workers' strike in New York to be settled.

HINT TO READERS: It is a mistake to read the greater part of the more important articles contained in ... Consult the Table of Contents—all the parts—and then get all the ...

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CONTRIBUTION.

Financial contributions to State and county political committees also would be limited on a per capita population basis. State committees would be restricted to 5 cents per capita up to the first 500,000 inhabitants, 3 cents up to the second 500,000 and 2 cents per capita over the first 1,000,000. County committees would be limited to 3 cents per capita for the first 25,000, 2 cents per capita in excess of 25,000 to 100,000 and 1 cent above 100,000.

Candidates for United States Senator and Representative-at-large would be limited to campaign expenditures of $5000 each in States of less than 1,000,000 population, and not to exceed 2 mills additional for each inhabitant in excess

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SPIRIT MESSAGE FOR THE KING.

But the American Consulate at London Refuses to Forward It.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Jan. 1.—The American Consulate received today from a woman in Detroit, who claims to be a noted spiritualist medium, a communication saying she had a message from the late Queen Victoria for her grandson, King George, asking him to stop the war. She expressed an earnest desire that it be delivered to King George immediately. Consular officials, however, have no such functions as transmitting messages from the spiritual world and the Detroit woman has been advised that the Department of State handles all diplomatic matters.

THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) The Holiday. (2) The I.W.W. Menace in Minnesota. (3) Mexico. (4) Congress. (5) The German Advance in Rumania. (6) The Peace Movement. (7) The Football Game at Pasadena. (8) The Arizona Governorship Muddle.

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THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 miles, southwest; velocity, 5 miles. Temperature, highest, 57 deg.; lowest, 43 deg. Forecast: Unsettled weather Tuesday. For complete weather report see last page, Part I.

THE CITY. More than 100,000 persons witnessed Pasadena's most successful Tournament of Roses.

A man who said he was the victim's son-in-law seeking a family reunion, shot and killed a Bell Gardens man and escaped.

Charles R. Pratt, 91 years old and father of the late cereal king, married a 55-year-old bride.

A noted orator of Iowa died at his residence in Pasadena.

Residents in Highland Park began fighting the city's broad new lighting system unsatisfactory.

Returning to his uncle's home, a boy discovered two burglars and was fired on by the disarmed one; both escaped.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Armour Co. mystery explained by sale of packing and arrest of Washington agent.

Bakersfield has a good rain and crop conditions are said to be of a high grade.

Young man in Pomona takes his life after reading the symptoms of ailments for patent medicines.

GENERAL EASTERN. Assistant vice president of Pennsylvania Railroad Company dies while attaching license tag to auto.

I.W.W. mob forming in Minnesota to destroy lumber mill.

Garment workers' strike in New York to be settled.

NOTICE TO READERS: It is a mistake to jump at the wrong conclusion that all, or the greater part, of the more important news is to be found on the first page. The table of contents explains it. Consult the Index and the Summary, then read the entire paper—and thus get all the news of the day.

The Mob.

I. W. W.'S MASSING.

Plot to Destroy the Lumber Mills.

Anarchists Marching Through the Wilderness Section of Minnesota.

Hundreds of Men Driven from Their Work in the Woods by Marauders.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DULUTH (Minn.) Jan. 1.—Five hundred Industrial Workers of the World, acting on orders from headquarters at Virginia, to mobilize there on a campaign of destruction of some of the largest lumber mills in the world, are moving tonight through the wilderness to the central point, after having broken up, assimilated or dispersed 700 woodsmen employed in five camps of the International Falls Lumber Company at Gemmell, Minn. So far no bloodshed has been reported, but grave fears are felt that murder and riot will follow tomorrow, when the rapidly increasing army reaches Virginia, where the immense plants of the International Lumber Company are located.

E. W. Backus of the International Falls Lumber Company, foreseeing trouble, called on Gov. Burnquist at St. Paul today to ask for help and the presumption is that he would have the National Guard ordered out. The Governor will not meet Backus until tomorrow. There is only one Minnesota regiment back from the border, the Third, composed mostly of husky woodsmen from the north country, who could be mobilized in a day's notice for service on the range. The matter of calling out the militia will be discussed today.

TROUBLE BREWING.

The trouble between the lumber interests and the Industrial Workers of the World has been brewing for months. The I.W.W. succeeded in causing 500 men in four camps to strike, most of them joining the ranks of the I.W.W.'s, but at the fifth camp, where 200 men are employed, there was resistance. Rifle and pistol shots were exchanged and in the end the lumber jacks were driven into the woods, where they are tonight, huddled around camp fires, determined to kill their pursuers if pressed too close.

While the band of 200 scattered woodsmen are spending the night in the timber the army of strikers, headed by the I.W.W. staff of agitators, are on their way to the mobilization point at Virginia. They left a battalion of men at Gemmell to keep the timber jacks away from camp. At midnight the moving Gemmell contingent changed cars at Bemidji and transferred to the Great Northern to proceed to Grand Rapids, which point is expected to be reached at 6:40 a.m. Wednesday. If trouble does not arise on the expedition the army expects to leave Grand Rapids at 7 a.m., on a stub line of the Great Northern known as the "Merry Widow," reaching Hibbing at 9 a.m. From there they intend to entrain for Virginia, about two hours' distant from Hibbing. As the I.W.W. army is moving toward the central point at the command of "Timberbeast" Jack Beaton, woodsmen organizer, it is understood that preparations are being made at Virginia to protect the three big plants of the International Lumber Company, where 5000 men are employed.

SPECIAL TRAINS.

While special trains of deputy sheriffs are speeding toward Virginia tonight from all parts of the iron range, troops has been ordered in other camps and Virginia is expected to be the scene tomorrow of wild demonstrations. In view of past events on the range and convictions that have followed for murder during the last few weeks, it is hard to believe that there will not be bloodshed at Virginia tomorrow. Armed deputies from all over the range will join with the workmen who remain faithful to the International company in protecting the great mills.

Sheriff Meining of St. Louis county (Duluth) sent all the available men he could find on the special train to Virginia tonight and word comes back that "Timberbeast" Beaton expects to be in command of at least 2000 men before noon tomorrow.

Deputies are pouring into Virginia from all directions tonight fully equipped with sidearms and rifles and they hope to have an organized resistance of at least 4000 men. Sheriff Thomas White of International Falls, Koochiching county, near the border, is on his way to Virginia Falls with an armed deputation, following over the same route taken by the Gemmell contingent of the I.W.W. Sheriff Charles Gunderson of Itasca county, in the heart of the range wilderness, is already on the spot with his men and organizing all available men.

The demands of the strikers are an increase in pay from $4 to $5 for unskilled labor, A nine-hour working day. Travel to and from work to be done on the company's time during the nine hours. A complete housecleaning of the camps. Clean bedding twice each week. No discrimination by the companies against the I.W.W.

"THE BLAST" RAIDED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1.—Officials of the District Attorney's office, it became known today, raided the editorial rooms of The Blast, a local anarchist organ, on Saturday, and seized the subscription list, letter and paper files, manuscripts, private correspondence and cartoons. The raid was made,

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The Great War.

FOCSANI IN SIGHT.

New Advance of the Germans.

Battles in Progress All the Way from Riga to the Black Sea.

Austro-Hungarians Reported to be Winning on the Moldavian Front.

BY ARTHUR S. DRAPER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Jan. 1.—From Riga to the Black Sea battles are in progress on the east front.

In the Rumanian zone, which forms the southern and most important area of the vast battleground, the defenders have been swept further back toward the Sereth line. Focsani, according to Russian reports, is now almost within range of the German guns. The main German Ninth Army, under Falkenhayn, has reached a point half way between Rimnicu-Sarat and Focsani, while the left wing, under Delmisningen, has captured two villages in the Gabala Valley, about twelve miles west of Focsani.

The offensive along the Moldavian frontier, begun several days ago by Von Gerck, has spread northward to Bekas Pass. The Austro-Hungarian armies on this front have passed the Moldavian border and are slowly driving the Rumanians out of the mountains toward the Sereth plain. Petrograd tells of the repulse of heavy attacks near Bekas Station at the end of the railroad from Bacon; around Cotumba, on the Trotus River and the Grymes Pass railway; and in the Oitus Valley, where a Russian retirement is admitted.

DANGER.

An even more dangerous situation is revealed by the Russian statement on the Casin Valley fighting. Here the Rumanians are making a stand five miles inside the border against the western flank of Von Gerck's armies which are advancing on both sides of the Casin River. In this sector the defenders are fighting with their backs to the Sereth River and their communications threatened with the Focsani army. Von Gerck evidently is driving toward Adjudu, an important railway junction about twenty-five miles north of Focsani. He is now only twenty miles from Adjudu and if he can reach it before the Focsani defenders escape behind the Sereth, he will have cut off a large part of the Russian forces. In any event the threat will compel a hasty retirement from Focsani and, in all probability, from Braila.

Braila is now practically invested on the south and east. Today's statements show that the Germans on the west are only about twelve miles from that town. The Bulgarians in the Dobrudja, have made further progress in the battle for the Macin bridgehead, just opposite Braila, and have captured 1000 prisoners and four cannons that had been used to protect the Russians crossing the main bridge. A smaller bridgehead position, east of Macin, was captured by the Bulgarians, whose guns now dominate the main position.

IN FLIGHT.

Already most of the civilians have left Braila, according to Petrograd reports, and refugees are blocking the roads.

The chief hope held out here is that defenders will be able to maintain their lines until the Rumanian forces behind the Sereth have been reorganized sufficiently for an early offensive.

In Galicia the Germans stormed the Russian positions near Pinsk, only to be ejected by counter attacks. They are now bombarding the Russians' lines near Brody, using asphyxiating gas shells.

Around Riga and Smorgon the Russians were busy in raiding enterprises.

LATEST BRITISH STATEMENT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 1, 11:14 p.m.—The British official communication issued this evening says:

"Our patrols entered the enemy's trenches east of Armentieres, at several places last night. Early this morning a hostile patrol reached our lines south of Pilkelm and north of Ypres, but was immediately driven out.

"During the night the enemy artillery activity was continued by both sides at various places along the front, being most marked on the Loos salient and in the neighborhood of Faquissant and Ypres."

THE FRENCH COMMUNIQUE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Jan. 1.—The communication issued tonight by the War Office says:

"On the right bank of the Meuse the Germans directed a strong surprise attack against the trenches we had taken to the east of Chambrettes farm. The attack failed completely. On the remainder of the front the day was comparatively quiet."

The Belgian communication:

"To the east of Ramscapelle and toward Dixmude reciprocal bombardments took place. A spirited struggle by means of field and trench artillery is reported at Het-Sas."

GERMAN REPORTS.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Jan. 1 (via Sayville.)—On the Moldavian front yesterday, the Austro-German forces continuing their heavy attacks, captured several height positions and two towns in the Zabala Valley, the War Office announces. Violent Russian

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Tit for Tat.

MUTUAL REPARATION AS BASIS OF PEACE.

Germany Willing to Restore Smaller Kingdoms Involved in the War.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 1.—Germany is willing to conclude peace with the Allies on a basis of mutual reparation, restoration of all the small kingdoms involved in the war and adequate guarantees for the security for the world peace.

Germany and her allies will demand the retention of no conquered territory beyond a small amount for the correction of boundary lines for which territorial compensation will be given elsewhere.

This is the substance of the official German view communicated to the United States for the guidance of President Wilson in taking such further steps as he deems warranted in the direction of bringing about a peace conference. Advised of the German attitude, Mr. Wilson will await the Allies' reply to his peace appeal before deciding whether there appears to be a basis for further negotiation.

THE GERMAN TERMS.

With the additional details obtained from official sources, the German peace terms may now be outlined thus:

(1.) Restoration of Belgium as an independent sovereign state on condition that neither its frontier nor Antwerp shall be fortified.

(2.) Reparation for Belgium by Germany, reparation for Greece by the Allies and reparation for Germany and Austria by Russia to compensate for damages occasioned by the invasion of East Prussia and Galicia.

(3.) Restoration of Serbia and Montenegro as one independent sovereign state, under a ruling family other than the Karageorgevitch dynasty of Serbia.

(4.) Restoration of Rumania, providing Rumania cedes to Hungary and Bulgaria a strip along her western boundary which together with a strip from Northeastern Serbia will constitute a connecting link between the Austro-Hungarian empire and Bulgaria. This will solidify the territory dominated by the Teutonic empires and remove an obstacle in the path of German progress toward the Persian Gulf.

(5.) Partition of Albania between Greece and the combined state of Serbia and Montenegro. This is designed by Germany as compensation to Greece if she refuses to join the Allies and to Serbia for the cessation of northeastern territory to Hungary and Bulgaria.

(6.) Erection of independent kingdoms in Poland and Lithuania.

(7.) Evacuation of Northern France by Germany without indemnity.

(8.) Restoration to Germany of her colonies in Africa, Kiao-chau and the Pacific Islands.

(9.) Agreement of the powers upon world peace guarantees, including disarmament, freedom of the seas and a league to enforce peace to be considered at a conference after the peace conference on territorial terms.

COMMENTARY.

Germany believes these are not only fair, but extremely moderate terms. Germany, it is stated, is prepared to pay a large indemnity as reparation to Belgium on the ground that her invasion of the kingdom was an unavoidable military necessity, justifying compensation. On the same grounds, Berlin will insist that the Allies pay Greece an indemnity.

The German government contends that the Allies cannot object to the creation of independent kingdoms in Poland and Lithuania, particularly as Russia has promised the Pole autonomy. This is a German challenge to the Allies' professed regard for the independence and integrity of small states.

German officials say that if the Allies do not accept peace now they will find the terms less moderate a year hence.

CONTEMPT.

Entente diplomats are contemptuous of the German peace terms. Said one of them tonight:

"The question is not shall there be peace, nor even a durable peace, but what kind of a peace? If it should be based on a balance of power on political alliances or combinations, the peace would depend upon the shifting sand, for such a peace would be as shifting sand. Whether it shall be durable or not durable depends upon whether the bases for it are correct. If they are not, it would be merely an armistice, a breathing time for the belligerents to prepare for another conflict. There must be such terms of adjustment as will produce the definite attainment of international justice. All the world is aware that Germany is not yet ready for that kind of peace."

Protect American Rights.

WILSON WILL NOT SEEK TO FORCE PEACE ON ENTENTE

After Lengthy Discussion with Senator Stone Concerning Foreign Relations it was Decided to Have Congress Pass Resolution Declaring President's Move Expressed Attitude of United States.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—President Wilson late today went to the Capitol and spent an hour discussing the country's foreign affairs with Senator Stone, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee. Their talk covered a wide range, but it is understood much of the time was devoted to the situation growing out of the unfavorable Entente reply to the peace proposals of the Central Powers.

Aside from transmitting the Entente note to Germany and her Allies, the United States will take no further formal action in the peace movement, at least, until the Entente governments have replied to the communication of President Wilson addressed to them. If the note to the Teutonic nations had been forwarded tonight the State Department did not disclose the fact.

Cable reports from Paris announcing that the Entente answer to President Wilson had been prepared and would be the same in effect as that to the belligerents, did not increase hope here for a favorable outcome of the negotiations. It is known the German Embassy believes unless the note to President Wilson opens the door for a further advance by its government the war will go on another year at least.

AMERICAN SENTIMENT.

So far as could be learned, the President, during his visit today to Senator Stone, sought no action from Congress relating to the peace movement. Afterward, however, it was learned administration leaders in the Senate were preparing to sound sentiment on resolutions introduced just before the holiday adjournment, which would declare it to be the sense of the Senate that the action of the President in addressing his note to the belligerent powers represented the "overwhelming public sentiment and earnest desires of the people of the United States."

Senator Hitchcock submitted two resolutions on the subject on successive days, one of which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations and the other permitted to lie on the Senate table, where it is in order to be called up for action tomorrow. It is understood the President would like to have it assured the resolution if pressed would not be rejected.

Senator Stone tonight conferred with Senator Hitchcock regarding the resolution now on the table, and urged him to ask tomorrow that it lie over for a day in order that there might be a conference of Senators on both sides of the chamber regarding it. When it was first proposed Senator Borah of Idaho objected to its immediate consideration on the ground it was too important a matter to be dealt with hastily. Whether the Idaho Senator would attempt to defeat its passage could not be learned tonight.

TO CONFER WITH STONE.

Senator Stone frankly stated that he was heartily in favor of adopting the resolution and friends of the President generally believed an official indorsement of his action from the Senate would be advisable. Senator Hitchcock will confer with the chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee on the matter again tomorrow morning before the Senate meets.

The President, it was learned, discussed many phases of foreign problems with Senator Stone, including the Mexican situation.

During the day an explanation was obtained from official sources of the previously mysterious clause in the note from Spain to the United States referring to "another communication" from the American government suggesting the time was opportune for Spain to co-operate with the United States.

It was learned authoritatively no note was sent to neutral nations, but in forwarding copies of the President's suggestion to the belligerents the State Department instructed American diplomats in the neutral capitals to intimate to the governments to which they were accredited that in case they were considering a move similar to that of the United States, the American government considered the time opportune.

It was stated emphatically that in making this move the United States had no intention of urging neutral nations to act, or to set on foot a movement for an Entente of neutral nations.

TO CLEAR ATMOSPHERE.

In explanation of this point, it was stated the primary purpose of the President's note to the belligerents was to clear the atmosphere on the big question relating to the war and that in this connection the American government thought it would be helpful if the opinion of neutrals as well as the belligerents were explained.

It was reiterated President Wilson and Secretary Lansing did not look upon the American note to the belligerents primaarily as a peace note. One reason for interest in the attitude of other neutrals is the realization, while the United States will act alone if it finds it necessary later to take any drastic action in defense of its rights, the other neutrals also have suffered seriously. The President believes, too, that after the present war all nations should com-

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Later Dispatches

With fresh news marked "30"

Slippery.

SAFE CRACKER CAPTURED BY REPORTERS AFTER POLICE RELEASE HIM.

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THROUGH the persistence of a couple of morning newspaper police reporters a baffling crime was unraveled early this morning when a man giving the name of James Whalen, who had once been captured and turned loose, again was captured and this time confessed to having blown up the safe of the H. and W. Zeigler meat packing establishment, Third and Rose streets, early this morning, with two other yeggmen.

Two watchmen, M. A. Posner and Jacob Eckhert, in the neighborhood of the building, heard the explosion. Hurrying to the scene, they found the man giving the name of Whalen holding a Mexican, who said his name was Vidal Dominguez. Whalen asserted the Mexican and two others had run from the Zeigler establishment and that he had captured Dominguez. A 44-caliber automatic revolver was found on Whalen.

At the Central Police Station, Lieut. McIntosh, it is said, accepted Whalen's explanation as true and he was allowed to go. But the two reporters, suspicious of the man's story, commandeered a police machine and drove to the Longfellow rooming-house on Central avenue, where Whalen said he was stopping. A man named Michael Gibson, who had just been released after a ninety-day sentence in the City Jail, was found there.

Tired of waiting, the detectives drove away. One of the reporters hid in the doorway and as Whalen, who had been in hiding, dropped from a fire escape, arrested him. This time Whalen made a full confession to the police and said that the two other yeggmen he knew only as "Shorty" and "Yellow."

Nothing was secured from the safe, as the watchman's timely arrival interrupted the job.

In Peril at Sea.

STEAMER KLAMATH LOSES PROPELLER, CALLS FOR AID

MARSHFIELD (Or.) Jan. 2.—The steamer Klamath, bound from San Francisco to Portland, lost her propeller late last night while ten miles west of Cape Arago and is being driven northwest by a heavy off-shore gale, according to wireless word flashed here by the disabled steamer.

The wireless report was received also at the Cape Blanco wireless station, and said that while the Klamath was in no immediate danger of foundering, help was necessary.

The steamer Kilburn, which put in here tonight, will leave at daybreak to pick up the Klamath and tow her into port. It is not known whether any passengers are aboard.

Should the wind veer toward the coast the vessel would be in danger of being driven on the rocks, mariners say.

The Klamath was bound for Portland in ballast to load lumber for the Charles R. McCormick Lumber Company, her owners. She left San Francisco Sunday.

The Klamath was built in 1909 at Fairhaven, Cal., She is of 1038 gross tonnage, 207.5 feet in length, 41.6 feet in breadth and has a depth of 15.4 feet. She is of 800 horseppwer.

RUSSIANS WITHDRAW TO EVEN FRONT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.] (30)

LONDON, Jan. 2, 3:10 a.m.—Yesterday's Russian official communication is regarded in military circles here as disproving the German claim that the Teutonic allies have driven the Russians to the Braila bridgehead.

The belief is expressed that the Russians withdrew in that vicinity with the purpose of preserving an even front with their retreating army farther west, the movement being made without pressure from the invaders.

The absence of any reference in the last German communication to previously-reported attacks at the Braila bridgehead is interpreted here as indicating the attackers suffered a defeat there.

On the other hand, the simultaneous assault against Braila from the Matchin bridgehead in Dobrudja has admittedly attained some success, narrowing the bridgehead slightly and bringing the forces of the Central Powers within about twelve miles of Braila on the east side of the Danube.

BOY ACCIDENTALLY KILLS MOTHER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.] (30)

NORTHFIELD (Minn.) Jan. 1.—Herbert Edgar, 16 years old, accidentally shot and killed his mother with a revolver as she was preparing the New Year's dinner in her home here today.

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BABY SHOOTS HIS AUNT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.] (30)

KINDER (La.) Jan. 1.—Three-year-old Leo Wafford today picked up an old revolver, thought to be useless, and discharged the firearm. His aunt, Miss Ida Ryan, 18, was shot through the breast and probably fatally wounded.

KAISER CONFIDENT OF VICTORY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.] (30)

LONDON, Jan. 2, 4:15 a.m.—Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent send the following dispatch, received there from Berlin:

"In the course of a congratulatory New Year message to Empress Augusta Victoria, Emperor William said:

"'With thanks to God, with pride in Germany's strength and confident that the coming year's fighting will bring new victories, we hold on.'"

SEATTLE DEPARTMENT STORE BURNS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.] (30)

SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 2.—Fire early this morning of unknown origin in McCormick Brothers' Department Store at Second avenue and James street, here caused $50,000 in damage to the stock and fixtures. The flames were confined to the ground floor of the building, which is owned by the Collins estate. The loss to the building is estimated at $2000. The losses are covered by insurance.